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Charges Contained in Re-  
port of Examination of  
Lindbergh Case Prisoner  
by Defense Doctor.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Bruno  
Richard Hauptmann, charged  
with the murder of the kidnapped  
Lindbergh baby, alleged he was given a  
"third degree" by the police 48  
hours after his arrest last Sep-  
tember. He declares that "about a  
dozen plain clothes men" gave him  
the "third degree" at the Green-  
wich Village police station in Man-  
hattan in an effort to extract a con-  
fession.

Hauptmann says he was handcuffed to a chair: that the detectives showed him his own hammer, then turned out the light and kicked and beat him into unconsciousness.

These allegations, which may figure prominently at Hauptmann's trial which is scheduled to open at Flemington, N. J., next Wednesday, are contained in the report of Dr. Thurston H. Dexter, defense physician, made available today.

Doctor's Report in Part.  
Dr. Dexter gave Hauptmann an oral and physical examination on Sept. 25 in the presence of Attorney James M. Fawcett, Hauptmann's former chief counsel, and Louis F. Lefkowitz, assistant medical examiner. The oral examination, as revealed in the report, was in part as follows:

Q.—Were you hurt in any way by the police after you were arrested?  
A.—I got terrible beating at the Greenwich Village station in Man-  
hattan.

Q.—Was it because you resisted or fought?  
A.—No.

Q.—What time did you get this beating?  
A.—Two days after I was arrested.

Q.—Were you hurt at the station house?  
A.—They took a hammer and beat me over the head a couple of times and all over the body.

Q.—Can't Name Detectives.  
Hauptmann said he did not remember any of the detectives present. The arresting officer, Lieut. James Finn, was not there, he said, used, Hauptmann, replied: "They asked how he knew a hammer was showed it to me while the lights were on and said they were going to hit me with it."

Q.—Was the light on when you were struck?  
A.—No, they put the lights and started beating me.

Q.—Were you standing up or seated?  
A.—I was handcuffed to the chair and fell downward toward the floor while being beaten.

Q.—Did you become unconscious?  
A.—Yes, but before that I heard them say: "Don't hit him so hard with the hammer."

Says Officers Kicked Him.  
Hauptmann said he was hit on the shoulders, back of the head and right arm with the hammer and that the detectives kicked his legs. They also kicked him in the stomach and over the heart, he added, saying "over the heart" was the worst place—hurt the worst. He said they twisted his wrists and ankles.

Q.—Did you scream?  
A.—Yes, I screamed.

Hauptmann told Dr. Dexter during the examination that his legs still pained him. He said he could hear nothing for four or five days after the alleged beating. He informed the doctor that whenever he hung his head down and forward he felt pains (pointing to the occipital region); that he had marks around his left eye; that there were swellings on his head; that he couldn't breathe regularly and had pains in his chest.

Q.—Any bleeding?  
A.—No, but I had swellings pretty nearly all over my body.

Q.—Did they throw any red light on you at the Greenwich Village Station?  
A.—No, they did not.

Hauptmann told of threats as saying before and during the alleged beating: "Where is the money? Where is the baby? We'll knock your brains out. We'll break your ribs. I'll use your own hammer and knock your brains out. I'll break your legs. I'll break your arms."

Hauptmann said he was beaten only once—on that occasion. Later when he was taken to the Bronx County Jail he was treated in a kindly manner, he stated.

Dr. Dexter's report contained a detailed description of his physical examination of Hauptmann and ended with the following "conclusions": "I conclude from this examination that he had been subjected recently to a severe beating, all or mostly with blunt instruments. The injuries resulting from this are general and include the head, back, chest, abdomen and thighs."

Betty Gow Reaches U. S. Goes to Morrow Home.  
FLEMINGTON, N. J., Dec. 26.—Miss Betty Gow, nurse of the Lindbergh baby whom Bruno Richard

Picture of Stella Talbot in "The Price of Innocence"



Mary's was the old story of a good woman's love for a worthless man.

ONE of the many photographs which woman accused of killing Albert Frankenstein kept as a reminder of her early days as an actress in the silent movies.

Hauptmann is charged with murdering, in seclusion today at the home of Mrs. Dwight Morrow in Englewood. She was hurried there yesterday after arriving on the Acquittania. She had traveled under the name of Beatrice Galloway and occupied a tourist cabin. First-class passengers were unaware of her presence until the ship reached New York Harbor.

Efforts to reach Miss Gow at the home of Mrs. Morrow, who is Mrs. Lindbergh's mother, elicited only the remark: "Sorry, but we can give no information on Miss Gow's arrival."

Throughout the search for the Lindbergh child, Miss Gow enjoyed the full confidence of her parents. She is expected to play an important role in the forthcoming trial of Hauptmann.

Mrs. Hauptmann in a brief radio talk yesterday repeated her belief in her husband's innocence and said "many things will come out at the trial which the people do not know."

"I would like to appeal to the people to hear his side of the case because I think his defense attorneys will show that he is innocent of the crime," she said, adding: "I know my husband has not tried to hide anything. He told the police he had the ransom money when he was arrested and explained where it came from."

When he was arrested, Hauptmann told police the gold notes, identified as part of the \$50,000 Lindbergh ransom money, were given him by a friend, Isidore Fisch, who died in Germany.

Special Panel of 48 Drawn.  
A special panel of 48 prospective jurors—27 men and 21 women—was drawn today for the trial of Hauptmann on Jan. 2. The panel was selected at the direction of County Judge Adam O. Robbins from the general panel list of 350 names, but it was considered unlikely that the panel of 48 would be sufficient for the selection of the jury because of the expected challenges and dismissals by both sides.

Judge Robbins, who will preside with Justice Thomas A. Trenchard at the trial next week, occupied the bench while Sheriff John H. Curtis called out the names. Charles Holcombe, County Jury Commissioner, recorded the list.

The prospective talemen were drawn from the group which received the booklet describing a fictitious kidnapping case. In the booklet an acquittal resulted because "the victim's baby was never kidnapped or murdered."

Both state and defense attorneys plan conferences to determine whether to ask for an entire new panel of 150 because of the booklet incident.

The drawing of a new panel would defer the opening of the trial from 30 to 40 days, Judge Robbins said.

St. Louisans in Auto Wreck.  
By the Associated Press.  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Clifford of St. Louis, spending the holidays with relatives here, were injured when their automobile collided with the rear end of a parked car. Hospital attendants say their condition is not serious. An ice-covered windshield was blamed for the accident.

Wounded by Stray Bullet.  
Lawrence Brewer, 27 years old, 3619 North Fourteenth street, was wounded in the left leg yesterday by a stray bullet as he was walking on the railroad tracks near East Prairie avenue. Brewer heard no report, and did not know where the bullet came from.

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EX-ACTRESS HELD  
FOR HOMICIDE IN  
KILLING OF MAN  
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the bedroom and lay down. He came in. He had been drinking. He told me to get him a drink of whisky. I got it for him and then he told me to get some cognac for the customers. I made some cognac, and lay down again.

"He stayed outside in the restaurant at the bar, where we served 3.2 beer, and talked with a man named Pete, who was trying to sell him some whisky. Mr. Frankenstein had been drinking heavily and when Pete left he said he wouldn't buy his whisky because it was no good."

Says He Threatened Her.  
"About 4:15 he came back where I was lying and he hit me on the head with a leather billy. I got up and he said, 'Let's have a drink.' So I got him two drinks of whisky and I had two."

I went out behind the bar and I saw him get his revolver from our dressing room. He came out into the restaurant room waving it and cursing me. He said, 'Hard-core makes us all equals. I've been intending to kill you sooner or later and it may as well be now.'

"I got out from behind the bar and walked toward him. He was near the front door and I grabbed his sleeve. He had the revolver in his right hand and it went off. He fell and I knew he was shot, because there was blood on his shirt. I called out the door to a boy in the filling station across the street and asked him to get the police."

The first policeman to arrive found Frankenstein dead on the floor. A bullet had entered the right side of the chest and emerged on the left. A .32-caliber revolver, said by his companion to be his property, lay under him on the floor. One shot had been fired from it.

Woman's Story to Police.  
Mrs. Talbot, who was sitting on a stool, apparently in a daze, first declared he had been shot by two men who fled, but later amended her story. The statement she signed at Deer Street Police Station quoted her as saying:

He hit me on the head with a billy and then I got up and he said, 'If Pete comes back I will kill him.' Then I grabbed him and he had a gun in his hand, and I pulled the gun from his hand and shot him."

Questioned at the inquest, she admitted signing the statement, but was not asked to explain its variance with her testimony on the witness stand. Her lawyer was not permitted to read the police report.

Frankenstein was 50 years old. Mrs. Talbot said she was 35. His employment as a Game Warden ended with the inauguration of Gov. Park and he had since given all his time to operation of the restaurant.

His brother, Clemens Frankenstein, 5035 St. Louis avenue, told a Post-Dispatch reporter that Albert visited his home yesterday afternoon about 2:30 and had not been drinking at that time. He said that when he went for Albert at the restaurant, shortly before the Christmas call, Mrs. Talbot was drunk and had retired to her bed, and that Albert had left a friend in charge of the place while he called on his brother's family. Clemens Frankenstein and a sister, Miss Emma Frankenstein, 4032 Castleman avenue, claimed the body.

Publicity pictures in Mrs. Talbot's possession showed that she was starred in a motion picture, "The Price of Innocence," in 1919. Under one photo was the advertising line, "Mary's was the old story of a good woman's love for a worthless man."

Other pictures showed her in a motion picture with Kenneth Harlan, and she said she had also appeared in one with Wallace Beery and Otis Skinner. Her husband died in Chicago three years ago, about four years after their divorce. Newspaper files record that in 1921, while married to Talbot, she repeated was held up in Detroit and robbed of a fur coat valued at \$400.

Frankenstein was said by members of his family to be married, most separated from his wife. According to neighbors, he and Mrs. Talbot engaged in almost daily quarrels in which bottles and glassware were thrown. Police-

15 KILLED, 20  
HURT IN ONTARIO  
TRAIN COLLISION  
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simply horrible. The screams of the injured were intermixed with the confused shouting of those from the other coaches.

Some persons who were pinned beneath the wreckage were taken out alive hours later. Twelve men, using axes by torchlight, worked for two hours before they could rescue one man who was pinned underneath a car.

A special hospital train was dispatched from Toronto and other trains were sent from Hamilton and London to aid in the rescue work. Buses were commandeered to aid in moving the injured to hospitals. Hundreds of persons crowded the railway station in Hamilton seeking news about relatives and friends.

Much difficulty was experienced in identifying the dead and injured. In some cases the bodies were almost beyond recognition.

Statement by Railroad.  
W. A. Kingsland, vice-president and general manager, central route, Canadian National Railways, issued a statement in which he said:

"At 9:21 o'clock last night train No. 16, en route from Detroit to Toronto and points east, ran into the rear end of a passenger extra en route from London to Toronto, at Dundas siding, resulting in three cars on the rear of the passenger extra being badly damaged."

"Immediately word of the accident was received, General Superintendent T. C. Hudson at once ordered a special hospital train with doctors and nurses and ambulances were also dispatched to the scene. The injured were immediately conveyed to the general hospital at Hamilton."

"Special auxiliary trains from London and Hamilton were ordered, and Superintendent Pigott of the London division proceeded to take active charge of the situation."

"The cause of the accident was reported as being an open switch."

WANTS U. S. JOB INSURANCE  
Labor Legislation Group's Secretary Says States Await Federal Action.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—John B. Andrews, general secretary of the American Association for Labor Legislation, told the association today, as it opened a four-day meeting, that the states were awaiting Federal leadership in job insurance programs. He urged that the next Congress take prompt action.

Andrews said "The President preferred last spring to postpone unemployment insurance and old age pensions legislation with a promise of action this winter upon a well-rounded program of security which includes health insurance. Expectation has been raised to a point where anything less will be regarded as a breach of that solemn covenant with the people as supplemented by presidential promises and re-enforced in the late country-wide campaign with new political endorsement." Andrews pointed out that immediate action by Congress was necessary because 40 state legislatures would meet early in 1935.

men on the beat reported they frequently saw her with blackened eyes. City Hospital physicians who examined her last night reported she had a slight bruise on the top of her head.

CASH FOR  
OLD  
GOLD  
DISCARDED JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, HIGHEST PRICES  
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Olive at Ninth

FRENCH PILOT FLIES  
314 MILES AN HOUR

Raymond Delmotte Breaks  
Record for Closed Course  
Made by James Wedell.

By the Associated Press.  
ISTRES, France, Dec. 26.—America's hold on the world speed record for land planes over a closed course was smashed yesterday by the veteran French pilot, Raymond Delmotte, with an average of 314 miles an hour.

The 40-year-old flyer, who has held several world records during his career, shot his trim French Caudron Renault monoplane over the circuit course for one lap at 321 miles an hour.

It was only after a year and more of dogged attempts that he managed to crack the mark of 306 miles an hour set by the late James Wedell in 1933. Wedell died in a plane crash in Louisiana last June.

Several times in the last few months Delmotte had come close to breaking the record, but couldn't quite do it until today.

Failure stared him in the face again in his first trial at noon, when he attained only 229 miles an hour. An all-night rain had threatened to force postponement of the trials altogether.

Late in the afternoon he decided to have one more try at the record. The weather had cleared. Gaining speed with each lap, he finally reached and held the roaring pace in his long-sought goal.

His average speed was clocked at 302.465 kilometers an hour. Wedell's record was 490.8 kilometers. Delmotte's top speed for a single circuit was 314 kilometers.

(The official record for seaplanes set recently by Lieut. Angello of Italy is 440.678 miles an hour.) Delmotte set a world distance record over a closed course in 1927 and since then has held several records in minor categories. He flew the first planes over several African routes now operated regularly by the French.

PRISON TERMS FOR TWO MEN  
IN \$100,000 EXTORTION PLOT  
Pair Charged With Attempt to Get  
Money From C. P. Morton,  
Shoe Manufacturer.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Lloyd Coates and Edward Grady, convicted of attempting to extort \$100,000 from Charles P. Morton, Cincinnati shoe manufacturer, were sentenced by Judge William H. Holly, in Federal Court today, to two years each in Leavenworth Penitentiary.

They were convicted of impersonating a Government officer after they had broken into Morton's room in a hotel here last summer and found Morton and Coates' wife, Mary, clad in pajamas.

Mrs. Coates, whose frequent trips to Detroit and Chicago in company with Morton were told of at the hearing, was also tried with Coates and Grady, but Judge Holly dismissed charges against her on the ground that the evidence was insufficient. He said, however, her connection with the case was "suspicious."

Neither Mrs. Coates nor Morton were present when Coates and Grady were sentenced.

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GAVE MILLIONS TO  
ORPHANS' HOMES  
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holding control of the Republican organization in Westchester County for nearly half a century.

Followed His Own Shoes.  
While he gave large gifts to charity he lived like a poor man. He polished his own shoes to save money, using polish only every other day.

His principal beneficiary during his lifetime was the Surdna Foundation for the benefit of orphan homes near Hastings, N. Y. An initial gift of \$2,500,000 in 1917 was followed by donations of equal size annually thereafter.

His advice to young men entering Washington official life was quoted as follows: "Be careful of the fellows in Washington who are forever trying to borrow. It seems to me as though everyone wants to. If a man comes up to you just put your hand in a pocket where you keep 30 cents."

"Say, 'Why, that's all I have. There's 25 cents for lunch and carfare home.'"

Gave Away Christmas Baskets.  
A standing custom of his for many years was to distribute personally 500 baskets to the poor in Yonkers on Christmas eve.

When he heard reports that this was being done to further his political interests, the distribution ceased.

His advice to a reporter at the race tracks once illustrated the thought he put into any business deal. This young man was being groomed for politics by Mr. Andrus and his interest in him was unusually keen.

"I hear you go to the races every day," he told the reporter, who admitted it.

"Do you bet on the horses?" "Occasionally."

"If you continue to gamble you cannot be my friend."

"But betting on the races is no different from speculating in stocks and bonds," protested the youth.

"I have never invested a single dollar," said Mr. Andrus, "without investigating the merits of the proposition, the manager, the directors, and the possibility of the business."

His eighty-fifth birthday anniversary in 1928 was the occasion for an announcement by him that at his death 45 per cent of his money would be put in trust for the benefit of orphan homes where the children might receive personal care.

His home in Yonkers was unpretentious, and was valued at less than \$50,000, but he had erected for Mrs. Andrus and himself a \$500,000 mausoleum.

HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES  
TO SHARE \$1,000,000 ESTATE  
Cousin's Petition to Set Aside Will  
of Hugh McAfee Denied by Court.

By the Associated Press.  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 26.—Fifty hospitals, charitable institutions and persons will share in the distribution of approximately \$1,000,000 from the estate of Hugh McAfee, under a decree signed today by Judge Edward C. Chalfant.

McAfee, head of the Consolidated Lamp & Glass Co., died in August, 1933, but distribution of the estate was delayed when a cousin, Hugh Valentine of Indianapolis, petitioned to set aside the will.

Valentine claimed McAfee was not of testamentary capacity when the will was drawn. Orphans Court dismissed his action a month ago. Among the bequests are gifts of \$26,193 to 17 hospitals, of \$25,000 to eight charitable institutions and of \$20,480 to five other aid societies.

KILLS SIX AND SELF



MRS. KATHRYN SCHOCH,  
WHO Sunday fatally shot her  
brother, Walter Dempsey, and  
his four sons, and seriously  
wounded the latter's wife, in the  
Dempsey home in Perryville, Pa.  
Mental derangement brought on  
by grief over the death of her 6-  
year-old son is thought to have  
been the cause of the crime. It is  
believed Mrs. Schoch killed her  
sister, who lived with her in Dun-  
kirk, N. Y., before going to  
Perryville on what was intended  
to be a holiday visit. After the  
shooting Mrs. Schoch drank poison  
and was found dead beside the  
body of her brother.

HOME MODERNIZATION GAIN  
62 Pct. Increase in Permits Reported for November.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Home modernization permits, the Housing Administration reports, showed a gain for November of 62 per cent over the figure for November last year; the total of \$18,071,000, reports from 772 cities showed, compared with \$8,110,000 in November, 1933.

The Housing Administration, which says the figures reflect the progress of its modernization campaign, previously cited gains of 18 per cent for August, 27 per cent for September, 50 per cent for October. New York City, with \$1,730,280 in permits, led the November list, followed by Washington with \$627,192 and Los Angeles with \$566,605.

Siamese General Sentenced.  
BANGKOK, Siam, Dec. 26.—Gen. Phya Devahastin, who commanded Siamese troops in France during the World War, and who until recently was vice-chairman of the legislative assembly, was sentenced today to two years' imprisonment for "acts intended to raise dissatisfaction among the people." Attorneys said he would appeal.

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PRESIDENT REASSURES  
NYE ON ARMS INQUIRY

Senator Sees Roosevelt and  
Says He Indorsed Fur-  
ther Appropriation.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Presi-  
dential support for continuation of  
the Senate investigation into the  
munitions industry's profits was an-  
nounced today by Chairman Nye of  
the Senate committee.

After a conference with President  
Roosevelt, Nye said: "The President  
gave every assurance of coopera-  
tion by the Government to the com-  
mittee, as he has in the past, and  
gave indorsement to appropriation  
of additional funds to carry on the  
investigation."

Senator Nye, who had expressed  
fear that appointment of a special  
commission by the President to sug-  
gest a way to take the profits out  
of war might be an effort to cut  
short the Senate investigation, said  
today:

"There is evidently not the slight-  
est reason for the theory of today  
and that the President wanted to  
end our investigation."

BRIDE KILLED, BOXER HELD  
Wichita Man Says She Committed  
Suicide.

By the Associated Press.  
WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 26.—Ches-  
ter Gideon, 22 years old, Wichita  
boxer, was held here for questioning  
in connection with the death of his  
bride, Opal, 25, who was shot last  
night at the home of her father,  
George Crapo.

Gideon told officers the woman  
took her own life by firing a bullet  
through her chest. Dr. G. C. Davis,  
Coroner, said the wound could not  
have been self-inflicted.

Slammed General Sentenced.  
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## HATED TO DIE AND SPOIL MOTHER'S CHRISTMAS

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the dinner and that which went to the gift baskets, was donated to the business concerns and wholesale houses in the city on solicitation of the Mayor's office.

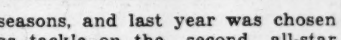


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nta Claus for a friend's family.

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## BOY, 19, ADMITS KILLING FOR LOVE OF WOMAN, 43

Chicago Youth Says He Was to Get \$500 of Tavern Keeper's \$2000 Insurance Money.

### WIDOW DENIES ANY CONNECTION

Second Man Named in Confession Declares He Was Present but Had No Part.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Police said today that James Senese, 19 years old, had confessed the killing of a tavern keeper for \$500—and the love of the dead man's 43-year-old wife.

Mrs. Ann Erickson, wife of George Erickson, 46, who was shot Saturday, denied any connection with the killing, despite the reported confession from Senese that he fired the shots in a \$2000 insurance plot instigated by her.

Named also in the alleged confession was Elmer Kruger, 21, an automobile mechanic. He admitted, police said, being present at the death of Erickson on promise of half the \$500 death fee, but denied firing any shots.

Detective Andrew Cannon said he found the weapon alleged to have been used in the murder, a pistol which police said was owned by the victim and which, they stated, Senese told them had been given to him by Mrs. Erickson. Cannon said he found the weapon hidden beside a rafter in the attic of the Senese home.

**Says He Was Told to Hurry.**  
The plot, police said they were told by Senese, was developed over a period of two months, and he was given the pistol by Mrs. Erickson last Friday with instructions, they quoted him as saying, to hurry before the insurance policy on Erickson's life lapsed.

Mrs. Erickson, unaware of the reported confessions, earlier yesterday sought through her daughter, Geraldine, 16, to arrange for her release in order to attend funeral services for Erickson today.

As Erickson returned from his tavern early Saturday morning, police said Senese's confession related, Senese opened the door of a summer kitchen in which he had stationed himself with Mrs. Erickson and Kruger, and fired nine shots.

The first shot struck Erickson in the side, and then, police said Senese confessed, he held the pistol close to the man's head and fired again.

"Everything as Planned."

Police quoted Senese as saying, "I fired first from the doorway and then shot three more times as he lay on the ground. Then I hid a while and left. I went home, put the gun on a rafter in the attic, and went to sleep."

Assistant State's Attorney John

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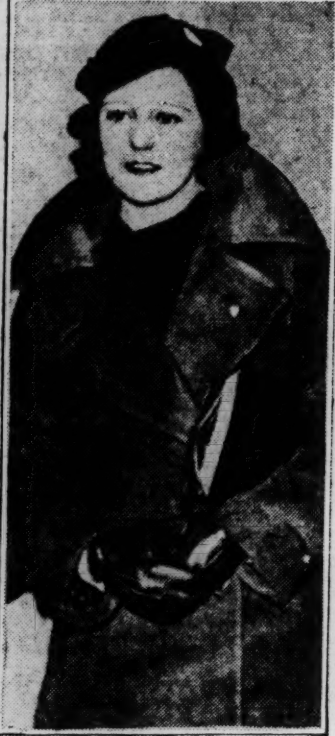
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**MISS DORA MILLICENT MILES**

**LOS ANGELES** girl who traveled to Boston to plead before the Massachusetts Parole Board for the release of George E. Gilbert, married and the father of four children, who escaped from the Massachusetts State Prison Colony in 1930, went West and wooed Miss Miles. He was arrested in California and returned to Massachusetts. He was serving a term for kidnapping when he escaped.

Boyle said Kruger told him he took no part in the shooting and fled after the first shot.

A police said that the widow and Senese "had been quite friendly" for some time.

The widow, confronted with the confession, shouted:

"You're a liar, Jimmy. I had nothing to do with it."

Authorities said Senese had been known around his home as a "model boy."

Edward Wilkins and John Bowman, an ex-convict, were held by police for questioning.

**NAMED BY COURT TO PASS ON HARGADINE-MCKITTRICK CLAIMS**  
Clifford B. Allen to Determine Stockholders Entitled to Share in \$300,000 Assets.

Clifford B. Allen was appointed special master by Circuit Judge Hamilton Monday to determine who are the first preferred stockholders of the old Hargadine-McKittrick Drygoods Co. and entitled to share in the distribution of \$300,000 in assets of the company.

The firm failed in 1915 and is in the hands of a committee of liquidating trustees. After creditors' claims were satisfied, \$300,000 in assets, including cash and bonds, remained for distribution among the holders of the \$1,800,000 of first preferred stock. At the time the company went out of business there were about 100 of these stockholders, many of whom have since died.

Judge Hamilton determined that Mrs. Mary McKittrick Markham is entitled to share in the distribution as holder of \$100,000 in notes issued by Hargadine-McKittrick. The Court ordered Christian J. Zeitinger to turn in 472 shares of stock which he claimed, it having been shown that the stock belongs to the Gravity Realty Co., in which Zeitinger is a stockholder.

**VISITING MOTORISTS COMPLAIN OF 'TRAFFIC TRAPS' IN COUNTY**  
Drivers Tell of Arrests for Failing to Observe Obscured Stop Signs.

Complaints that "traffic traps" exist in St. Louis County have been received by the Chamber of Commerce from motorists of other cities, who said they were unfairly arrested, and, in some instances, fined, while passing through St. Louis County.

A total of 75 citizens of Alton, Ill., Columbia and Ironton, Mo., and Wichita, Kan., protested their treatment on Highways 99, 40 and 61, in St. Louis County. Many of the arrests were for failure to observe school stop signs, which, the motorists said, were not readily discernible because of obstructions.

The Civic Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce took the matter up with county authorities, who promised a special effort would be made to avoid unfairness in the treatment of visiting motorists.

**KILLS WOMAN AND HIMSELF**  
Man Uses Eight-Inch Knife in Hamilton (Ontario) Stabbing.

By the Associated Press.  
**HAMILTON, Ontario, Dec. 26.**—John Tkaczky stabbed Mrs. Tillie Blalak, 42 years old, his landlady, to death and then plunged an eight-inch knife into his own chest, falling dead at his feet, at a Christmas party yesterday.

John Burak, boarder in the house, told police he was awakened by the woman's screams and ran to the basement to find Tkaczky had stabbed her. He turned to go for a doctor, he said, and Tkaczky rushed at Mrs. Blalak as she lay on the floor, stabbing her twice again. Tkaczky then killed himself.

Seaton Alexander Dies.  
By the Associated Press.  
**WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 26.**—Seaton Alexander, 74 years old, former president of the National Shoe Retailers' Association, died yesterday.

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KLINE'S—Fourth Floor

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**Choice! All Reg. to \$198 Fur-Trim. Coats**

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**135 Regular to \$14.95 Knit Dresses**

Boucle and Chenille; in one and two piece styles. Clever details in dark and bright colors. Sizes 12-20. **\$5**

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**D. Transparent Velvet Evening Wrap with white fur collar. \$19.95**

**E. Simplicity of line makes this White Crepe Formal outstanding with Rhinestone straps. \$15.95**



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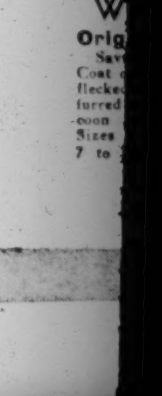
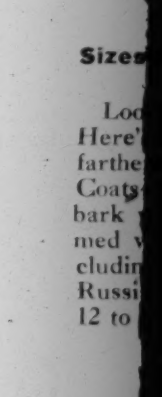
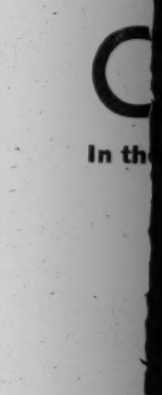
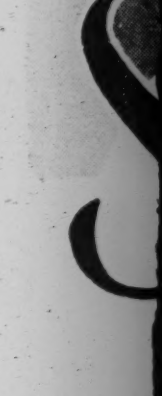


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OF Centerville, N. J., who was  
held when she tried to pass a  
bogus \$5 bill. Questioning of the  
woman led to arrest of her hus-  
band and brother and confiscation  
of counterfeiting apparatus.

'PEACHES' BROWNING  
WEDS THEATER MAN

She Married Edward W. Brown-  
ing and Lost \$500,000 Suit  
After Their Separation.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 26. — Mrs.  
Frances (Peaches) Browning, es-  
tranged wife of the late Edward W.  
(Daddy) Browning, has a new hus-  
band, Bernard J. Hynes, Denver  
theatrical manager who formerly  
resided in St. Louis.

They were married Monday af-  
ternoon at Tuckahoe, N. Y., by Jus-  
tice of the Peace Charles W. Wilson.  
The bride gave her age as 24.  
Hynes gave his age as 38.

After the ceremony the couple  
left on a wedding trip in their au-  
tomobile, but did not disclose their  
destination.

The former Frances Heenan was  
married to Browning in 1925 but  
lived with him only a few months.  
The following year Browning ob-  
tained a separation, after which  
"Peaches" filed a counter suit for  
\$500,000 damages.

She lost the suit and a demand  
for \$300 a week alimony. Later  
she went on the stage.

She met her new husband about  
four years ago while he was man-  
ager of a theater in New York.

Browning died last October, leav-  
ing no provision in his will for his  
estranged wife. She was awarded  
dower rights estimated to be about  
\$5000 a year.

Hynes is a son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Edward J. Hynes, 4863 Hammett  
place. Members of his family said  
they had not heard from him since  
the marriage but hoped he would  
stop in St. Louis on the way to  
Denver. He left St. Louis about 10  
years ago.

92 DAYS IN RESPIRATOR  
Boy, 14, Able to Unwrap Christ-  
mas Packages.

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 26. —  
Christmas was Fred Betlach's  
ninety-second day in a mechanical  
respirator. His lungs, weakened as  
a result of infantile paralysis, the  
14-year-old boy was unable, until  
recently, to move any part of his  
body except his eyes and mouth.

Lately, however, he developed some  
control over his right arm and he  
can spend brief periods outside the  
respirator.

Gifts and messages from far and  
wide were piled around his Christ-  
mas tree at the home of a nurse,  
where he lives in the "iron lung".  
He was able to unwrap a few pack-  
ages.

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erful weapon against miserable  
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than ordinary cold salves. Stimulates, mu-  
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AUTOS KILL SIX  
PERSONS, FOUR  
DRIVERS GO ON

Woman and Boy Fatally  
Hurt on Christmas Eve—  
Four Men Die of Injuries  
After Being Hit.

Three men died yesterday of au-  
tomobile injuries, a man was killed  
early today and a woman and a  
boy were injured fatally on Christ-  
mas Eve. In three instances the  
drivers failed to stop, while in an-  
other the driver went on after stop-  
ping briefly. The dead:

John G. Gallagher, 28, iron  
worker, Kirkwood.  
John Gruwell, 38, bartender,  
2505 Gerhard avenue, Maplewood.  
Michael Duke, 70, railroad sig-  
nal man, 1926A Lami street.

Harry D. McCarthy, 13, 2856  
South Jefferson avenue.  
Mrs. Julius Horn, 38, 6418 Wan-  
da avenue.

James Jenkins, 43, Negro, 709  
North Ewing avenue.

Gallagher was found lying in the  
street at Woodbine and George ave-  
nues, Kirkwood, by a motorist at  
1 a. m. yesterday. Residents of  
the neighborhood recalled hearing  
a noise half an hour earlier, and  
seeing two machines drive on. They  
failed to notice the form in the  
street. Gallagher died of a frac-  
tured skull at St. Louis County  
Hospital. He was unmarried and  
lived with his mother on Dougherty  
Ferry road. He formerly was an  
amateur boxer.

This morning a young man, who  
said he was John McKenzie, 6403  
Chatham avenue, Wellston, reported  
to Coroner Tiernon that Gallagher  
was thrown against his automobile  
after being hit by another machine.  
McKenzie, who was ordered to ap-  
pear at an inquest tomorrow, said  
he stopped at the home of a friend  
and telephoned police that a man  
had been struck.

Driver Stops, Goes On.  
Gruwell was crossing Manches-  
ter avenue at Tamm avenue at 1  
a. m. yesterday when he was run  
down by an automobile. He died  
of a fractured skull at 4:30 a. m. at  
City Hospital. The driver, who was  
accompanied by four other persons,  
stopped and talked with a street  
car motorman at the scene, then  
drove on. Witnesses gave police  
the license number and officers  
later arrested at his home Velroy  
Esphorst, 22, a clerk, 6323 San  
Bonita avenue, Clayton. Esphorst  
admitted his machine struck Gru-  
well. He said he was assured by  
the motorman that the man had  
not been injured seriously.

A Coroner's verdict of criminal  
carelessness was returned against  
Esphorst today after a witness tes-  
tified that the machine was travel-  
ing at a fast rate and failed to  
make the major street stop at  
Tamm avenue. Esphorst, at liberty  
on \$5000 bond, did not testify.

Duke died at City Hospital early  
yesterday of a skull fracture suf-  
fered Monday night when he was  
struck by an automobile in the  
2300 block of South Twelfth street.  
The machine, a coupe, went on. A  
radiator cap was found in the  
street.

Harry David McCarthy, eighth  
grade pupil at Trinity Lutheran  
School, was killed Christmas eve  
at Jefferson avenue and Pestalozzi  
street while on his way home from  
a grocery. The driver, Walter  
Boulicault, 25, of 2842 Caroline  
street, started to carry the boy to  
his home. The mother, Mrs. Daniel  
McCarthy, heard about the acci-  
dent and hurried to the scene. She  
and Boulicault took her son to  
Alexian Brothers' Hospital, where  
he was pronounced dead of a frac-  
tured skull. The boy, only child of  
Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy, was hurrying  
home in anticipation of Christ-  
mas eve when killed. The father  
is an unemployed iron worker.

Woman Shopper Killed.  
Mrs. Horn's body was found in  
Holly Hills avenue, 250 feet west of  
Christy boulevard, Monday evening.  
There is no sidewalk at that  
point and she apparently was run  
down while walking in the street.  
Her body was identified at the  
morgue by relatives, who became  
alarmed when she failed to return  
home from a neighborhood shop-  
ping trip.

Jenkins was killed at 12:20 a. m.  
today at Delmar boulevard and Ew-  
ing avenue by an automobile driven  
by Roy Carter, Negro chauffeur,  
4247 Garfield avenue. Carter said he  
swerved in an effort to avoid an  
accident, but Jenkins walked  
against the right side of the ma-  
chine.

There were 22 motor vehicle fa-  
talities in the city so far this  
month, bringing the total since Jan.  
1 to 157, as compared to 143 in the  
corresponding period last year.

MURDERER OF WIFE BACK  
IN LOS ANGELES FOR TRIAL

John H. Happel, Arrested in St.  
Louis, Confessed Killing,  
Disembembering Body.

By the Associated Press.  
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—John  
H. Happel, 53 years old, was re-  
turned here from St. Louis yester-  
day to face trial on murder  
charges in connection with the kil-  
ling of his wife, Rosabella, early  
this month.

Her dismembered body was found  
in a trunk in a shed at a bunga-  
low court for which they were care-  
takers. Happel confessed the kil-  
ling after his arrest in St. Louis.

"I have not slept for two weeks,"  
said Happel, as he was placed in  
jail here, "and already have made  
a full statement to the St. Louis  
police. I have nothing to add."



# After-Christmas Clearance!

## SÖNNENFELD'S

610-618 WASHINGTON AVENUE

### Winter Dresses

Values to \$19.95

**\$8**

Including Junior Dresses that were to \$22.50. Green, Woolens in sizes 12 to 20 and 11 to 17. (Fourth Floor)

### Sports Dresses

Values to \$49.50

**\$24**

Finest Boucles, Angoras, Metallic Knits in one and two piece styles. Sizes 12 to 38. (Sports Shop—Fourth Floor)

### Sports Dresses

Values to \$17.95

**\$8**

Boucles and Zephyrs. Sizes 12 to 20. (Sports Shop—Fourth Floor)

### Every Jr. Coat

Values to \$49.50

**\$29**

Cloth Coats gorgeously fur-trimmed with Caracul, Squirrel, Wolf, 11 to 17. (Second Floor)

### Accessories

BLOUSES

Values to \$1.45

BLOUSES

\$2.98 and 1/2 OFF

\$3.98 values at 1/3 OFF

Sweaters

\$2.98 Twinsets in Winter colors

GLOVES

\$1.39 Capekins in slip-on style

Neckwear

79c values in Satin, Crepe. (First Floor)

### Special FUR COAT VALUES

Values to \$195

**\$99**

Russian Kidskins, Black Broadtails, Civet Cats, Leopard Cats, Muskrat and American Broad-tail with Fox trims.

Values to \$99

**\$59**

Leopard Leg; American Broadtail with Squirrel; Leopard Cat; Northern Seal with Ermine; Kolinsky or Fitch; Beaverette. (Fur Salon—Third Floor)

### DOWNSTAIRS SHOP CLEARANCES

Reg. \$1 &amp; \$1.88

WINTER HATS

**39c**

Out they go... all remaining Felts and Fabrics... only 39c.

\$1 and \$1.49

SCARF SETS

**69c**

All were newly purchased for gift-giving. Felts, Suede, Cloth, Woolens.

### Drastic Reductions on All CLOTH COATS

Values to \$69.50

**\$39**

Trimmed with Kolinsky, Persian, Black Fox, Russian Kit Fox, Beaver... many are new purchases! Plenty of LARGE sizes... from 12 up to 46.

Values to \$99

**\$59**

Rarest fur trims on these Coats... remember now is the time to SAVE as much as \$40 on a Coat!

Values to \$129

**\$79**

Coats with Silver Fox, Eastern Mink and Persian Lamb... the finest made!

### CHOICE! Every Winter Suit

Values to \$69.50. Fur trimmed... **\$39.00**Values to \$49.50. Fur trimmed... **\$23.00**Values to \$39.75. Furred, tailored... **\$19.95**Values to \$29.50. Furred swaggers... **\$12.95**

Sizes 12 to 20 Only... Third Floor

### Clearance! WINTER HATS

\$15 to \$25 Values!

**\$8**

Originals from foremost American designers. Fur Felts, Fur Hats, Velvet-Velours.

\$10 and \$12.50 Values!

**\$4**

Fur combinations: Felts, Velours and Antelopes.

\$5 and \$7.50 Values!

**\$2**

Felts, Velours in Winter style successes. (Second Floor)

Values to \$3.75

**\$1**

Choice! In Hat Box Shop Every Winter Hat in Hat Box Shop. Felts and Suede Velours. (First Floor)

### We Offer Winter French Room Dresses

That Have Been \$22.75 to \$79.50... at

**1/2 and 1/3 OFF**

Every Wool Costume Suit! Every Velvet Dinner and Evening Gown Crepe, Street and Dinner Dresses

Misses and Women will pick up three and four of these marvelous values... and look stunning in them right into Spring! Sizes 12 to 42. (French Room—Fourth Floor)

### RESERVE BOARD'S BUSINESS SURVEY

Christmas Trade Better Than Usual; Seasonal Drop in Factory Employment.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The Federal Reserve Board, in a Christmas business survey yesterday, reported that "preliminary figures for the first half of December indicate a more than seasonal increase in Christmas trade."

Factory employment, however, suffered a seasonal drop and was reported to be no better than a year ago, while the number employed on public works construction projects was said to have "declined further in November."

For November and early December, the board gave this general summary: "The rate of industrial activity showed little change and the general level of commodity prices remained unchanged. Distribution of commodities to consumers was well maintained."

The board said the decline in production was "somewhat smaller than is usual at this season and consequently the board's seasonally adjusted index advanced from 73 per cent of the 1923-1925 average in October to 74 per cent in November."

"In the steel industry output continued to increase during November and the first three weeks of December, contrary to the usual seasonal tendency. Automobile production also showed an increase in the early part of December, following a decline in preparations for new models."

"In November, lumber output decreased by more than the estimated seasonal amount. At woolen mills there was a considerable increase in output. Consumption of cotton by domestic mills showed a slight decline."

"Activity at meat-packing establishments showed less than the usual seasonal increase. Production of the leading minerals was at about the same level as in October."

Analyzing factory employment, the board found seasonal declines smaller than usual in the automobile, shoe and canning industries, but larger than usual at railroad repair shops and sawmills. Payrolls of meat packing establishments, while showing a "considerable decline," were larger than during any November in recent years.

The decline in awards of construction contracts from the third to fourth quarter was reported "smaller than usual," while farm income, despite sharp production cuts, was said to be "larger than in either 1932 or 1933, reflecting chiefly higher prices and, to a smaller degree, benefit payments."

Freight car loadings were reported down by less than the seasonal amount and retail sales "well maintained."

The usual holiday increase in the demand for currency, and continued gold imports were the chief developments at the reserve banks.

### NAVY PLAYS SANTA CLAUS TO SAN PEDRO CHILDREN

Needy Boys and Girls Are Entertained on Warships in the Harbor.

By the Associated Press. SAN PEDRO, Cal., Dec. 26.—The personnel of the United States Fleet played host yesterday to 1500 youngsters, many of them from poor families in San Pedro and Long Beach.

It was the sixteenth revival of a custom said to have been inaugurated by Admiral Hugh Bodine and the crew of the battleship New York when they were stationed off Rosyth, Scotland, in 1917. They entertained Scottish children while serving with the Allied Grand Fleet at that time.

Santa Claus arrived by seaplane shortly after noon, first visiting the Nevada to dispense candy, toys and two complete new clothing outfits to 100 boys and girls treated to Christmas gaiety at a traditional Navy Christmas dinner. The next two hours were busy ones for him. He dashed about the bay, visiting first one ship then another, officiating at Christmas celebrations already well under way in the hands of officers and crews of the vessels.

Most of the guests aboard the ships were boys and girls designated by Southern California charities or selected by ship's research. In some instances, the parties were given over to children of the ship's crew.

### LIQUOR DEALER SHOT TO DEATH

Man Said to Have Been Refused Credit Arrested.

By the Associated Press. HARLAN, Ky., Dec. 26.—Joe Cawood, merchant and former Magistrate, was shot to death yesterday at his liquor dispensary in Harlan, 23 miles east of here. Bill Young, 22 years old, of Harlan, was brought to jail here in connection with the shooting.

Sheriff T. R. Middleton said he was informed that Cawood was shot after he refused to sell Young liquor on credit. Cawood and Young were said to have been friends. Cawood was among those indicted after a fight in Harlan in 1931 in which five men were killed, but the indictment was dismissed before trial.

### INJURIES FROM FALL FATAL

Mrs. Augusta Becker, Chiropodist, Succumbed.

Mrs. Augusta Becker, 74-year-old chiropodist, died at City Hospital yesterday night when she tripped on the back stairs at her home, 3816A Arsenal street, and fell 18 steps. She sustained a head injury and ruptured blood vessels.

# VANDERVOORT'S DOWNSTAIRS STORE

ONE DAY ONLY—THURSDAY

Hundreds of Unadvertised Bargains

1000 PRS. WOMEN'S SHOES

STRAPS PUMPS AND TIES

Dollar a Pair

Kids, Patents, Suedes

Imagine only one dollar for these attractive shoes... better buy those extra pairs you're needing Thursday, and profit by this amazingly low price. In black, blue or brown; broken sizes. Some fabric shoes included.

**1.**

DOLLAR Day

### MEN'S SHIRTS, COLLAR ATTACHED

2 FOR 1.00

Smart Broadcloth Shirts in sizes 14 to 17 with collar attached... a very few with plain neckband. Slight seconds.

### WOOL AND PART-WOOL SWEATERS

1.00 Each

Included are values up to 1.98. Various plain and novelty weaves in dark and medium shades. Sizes 34 to 40.

### BLOUSES FOR WOMEN

1.00

Crepe, Taffeta and Satin Blouses in light and dark shades. Sizes 34 to 40. Values up to 1.79 in this group!

### MEN'S ATHLETIC SHIRTS & SHORTS

5 FOR 1.00

A real bargain price for these good quality shirts and shorts. Buy a generous supply now and save considerably.

### MEN'S MOGADORE NECKWEAR

5 FOR 1.00

The kind of Ties men like... in a wide variety of colors and patterns to suit most every taste. Shop early!

### Ringless Chardonize HOSE—4 Pairs,

1.

First quality in chifon with picot top and service weight with little top. Newest shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.

### 1.95 to 2.95 PART-WOOL DRESSES

Trimmed with Contrast Colors. Sizes 36 to 42.

**1.00**

Dresses of Angorotte, a wool mixture... in a variety of attractive styles. Buy at least two while they are priced so low.

### Part-Wool 2-Pc. Suits

1.00

Smart Suits in solid colors: blue, green and dark red. In sizes 14 to 20. For wear now under your heavy coat and for later on without a coat.

### 1.98 LACE PANELS

42 to 45 Inches

Recurtain Your Home at Almost Half the Usual Cost

Filet, Amorex and Shadow effects in both fringed and tailored styles. Choice of many attractive designs. All are 2 1/2 yards long!

### 1.29 Ruffled CURTAINS

44-in. by 2 1/2 yd.

Curtains in colored, cream and ecru dotted effects. Finished with neat ruffle. Pair

1.

PAIR 1.

89c RUFFLED CURTAINS

Printed Voile and Marquise Cur-

tains edged with deep ruffle. 2 1/2

yards long! 2 PAIRS 1.

Girls' Wash Frocks in colorfast prints; 7 to 14... 2 for 1.00

1.39 to 1.95 Girls' Bathrobes; 3 to 10 year sizes... 1.00

25c Colorfast Prints and Gingham... 6 yards for 1.00

25c Silk Pongee, in natural color only... 6 yards for 1.00

88c Rayon Crepe and Taffeta, prints and plaids... 2 yards for 1.00

25c All-Linear Crash Tea Towels; 16x38... 8 for 1.00

1.39 All-Linear Luncheon Cloths; 52x68... Each 1.00

1.39 Chenille Rugs; 18x38... Each 1.00

35c Turkish Towels; white, 20x40... 5 for 1.00

8c Wash Cloths; outstanding value... 20 for 1.00

1.39 Good Quality Sheets; 81x99... Each 1.00

24c Pillowcases, in 42x38-in. size... 6 for 1.00

15c Double-Thread Huck Towels... 10 for 1.00

59c Embroidered Bridge Sets... 2 Sets for 1.00

1.29 Hand-Blocked Luncheon Cloths; 52x72... Each 1.00

1.19 Plaid Sheet Blankets; 70x80... Each 1.00

1.29 Lace Scarfs, in all white; 17x45... Each 1.00

1.29 Ecru Lace Scarfs, with colored medallions, 36x15... 1.00

Babies' Knitted Bootie Sets... for Only 1.00

Babies' Fine Bathrobes in white pink or blue... 1.00

Men's, Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs... 25 for 1.00

Toiletries, Creams, Lotions, Skin Tonics... 4 for 1.00

1.39 PART WOOL PLAID BLANKETS

Double Bed Size—Plaid, Sateen Bound

Warm, woolly Blankets in plaid design, bound on either end with matching sateen, in plaids of blue, rose, green, gold and orchid the dominating colors.

1.

WOMEN'S RAYON LINGERIE

Extra full cut Bloomers, Pants and Vests, also Step-ins... of fine quality rayon. In misses' and women's sizes. FOUR FOR 1.

Women's Combinations... 2 for 1.00

Knitted Cuddie Combinations of fine soft yarns... in dainty pink shade. Small, medium and large sizes.

Women's Warm Pajamas... 1.00

One and two piece styles of cotton Flannelette in fine stripes... also Balbriggan Tuck-Stitch and Rayons.

69c Hooverette Dresses... 2 for 1.00

Sleeveless and Short Sleeve styles trimmed with small ruffles. Colorfast. Small, medium and large sizes.

59c and 79c Tots' Pajamas... 2 for 1.00

Pajamas for the small boy or girl of 2 to 8 years. All made of good quality Cotton Flannelette.

Children's Combinations... 3 for 1.00

Combinations made of good quality Rayon... full cut and comfortable. In sizes 4 to 14. Make the most of this low price.

### 79c VALUE HANDBAGS

2 FOR 1.00

New Bags in underarm and pouch styles in plain and rough grains. More lined and fitted with coin purse and mirror. Black and brown.

### FULL-FASHIONED CHIFFON HOSE

2 PAIRS 1.00

Slight irregularities of the quality. Sheer Chiffons with hem-stitched run stop and picot top; cradle soles and French heels. Five favored shades. 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.

### 250 PAIRS CHILDREN'S SHOES

1.00 Pair

Good looking, sturdy shoes for children. Black and brown leather in sizes 8 1/2 to 2. Remember the early bird, be among the first for best selection.

### BABY CRIB BLANKETS

4 FOR 1.00

Cosy, warm Crib Blankets to keep baby warm as toast. Choice of plain colors and checked patterns. Outstanding values!

### BABY GOWNS OR KIMONOS

4 FOR 1.00

Darling Little Cotton Flannelette Gowns and Kimonos. Buy a good supply now at this special price and save substantially.

### MEN'S SOCKS

6 PAIRS for 1.

Fancy rayons and laces in plain and fancy patterns. First quality and some slight irregularities. Sizes 10 to 12.

### Just 85 MISSES' DRESSES

Specially Priced for Dollar Day!

**2.00**

Dresses you'd never believe could cost so little... and priced to make your clothes budget do double duty. Shop early for first and best selection!

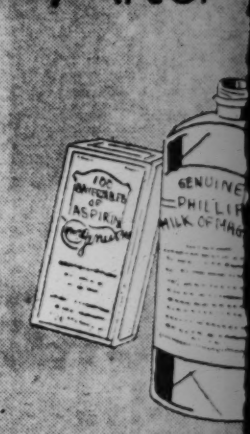
Wools, Prints and Solid Colors.

Sizes 14 to 20

### Shopping Service

For Personal Shop Service, call CH 7500. Your orders will be given prompt, full attention.

### After-



Phone and Mail Orders Accepted

Bayer Aspirin 100's 59c

Phillips' Milk of Magnesia 34c

Sal Hepatica 97c

Scott's Emulsion 80c

Ovaltine Special 57c

### Dollar



Phone Ord

Through this convenience, every department of this great store is your command.

CHestnut 750

WEbster 330

### Cake Cove

In your choice of real bright colors, plate with tray carrying rack.

### Cookie Maker

Genuine Atco maker with applique designs.

### Formex Cleaner

Crystal White Soap

Electric Iron Case

Old English Paste

Window Ventilator

All-Chrome Teak



For Personal Shopping Service, call Chestnut 7500. Your orders will be given prompt, careful attention.

# SCRUGGS VANDERVOORT BARNEY

For More Than Eighty Years the Quality Store of St. Louis

Charge Accounts

All Charge Purchases made on Wednesday, December 26th, and balance of month, payable in February.



## After-Christmas Sale of TOILETRIES and DRUGS

Check Medicine Chest Supplies! Check Toilet Goods Supplies! Avail Yourself of the Tremendous Saving in This Sale!

Phone and Mail Orders Accepted	3 Days—Thursday, Friday and Saturday	Medium-Size Ivory Soap
	<b>FACE CREAMS</b>	<b>10 for 48c</b>
Bayer Aspirin 100's 59c	55c Pond's ..... 39c	Pond's Creams 1 Size 73c
Phillips' Milk of Magnesia 34c	1.75 Pond's ..... 1.33	Lady Esther Cream 1.25 Size 92c
Sal Hepatica 97c	75c Lady Esther ..... 55c	Italian Balm 1 Size 74c
Scott's Emulsion 80c	1.00 Ingram's Milkweed ..... 79c	Pond's Powder 1.10 Size 73c
	1.00 Pepsodent Junis ..... 67c	
	1.00 Woodbury Creams ..... 72c	
	1.00 Hopper's Restorative Cream ..... 74c	
	<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	
	1.00 Angelus Lipstick ..... 74c	
	1.00 Tangee ..... 79c	
	Roger and Gallet Pomade 25c	
	Tussy Lipstick ..... 1.00	
	Cutex Lipstick ..... 59c	
	50c Cont'l Castile Shampoo 86c	
	1.00 Marrow Oil Shampoo 67c	
	1.00 Goral Hair Rinse ..... 79c	
	<b>PREPARATIONS</b>	
	35c Cutex Preparations 31c	
	50c Cutex Hand Cream, new jar ..... 45c	
	25c Glazo Preparations ..... 23c	
	50c Jergens Lotion ..... 37c	
	60c Italian Balm ..... 44c	
	50c Hind's Honey and Almond Lotion ..... 37c	
	\$1 Hind's Honey and Almond Lotion ..... 83c	
	1.00 Pacquin's Hand Crm. 73c	
	50c Chamberlain's Lotion 37c	
	1.00 Chamberlain's Lotion 69c	
	<b>SOAPS</b>	
	Camay ..... 10 for 42c	
	Lava ..... 10 for 49c	
	Kirk's Coco Castle 10 for 45c	
	Large Ivory ..... 10 for 88c	
	Lux ..... 10 for 58c	
	Palmolive ..... 10 for 42c	
	Woodbury ..... 3 for 25c	
	Bocabel ..... 3 for 115	
	Ivory Flakes ..... 3 for 61c	
	Lux Flakes ..... 3 for 63c	
	Jap Rose ..... 10 for 71c	
	<b>FACE POWDERS</b>	
	50c Pond's ..... 39c	
	50c Lady Esther ..... 37c	
	1.00 Lady Esther ..... 74c	
	1.00 Woodbury ..... 72c	
	1.10 Coty's Powder and Perfume ..... 88c	
	50c Luxor ..... 37c	
	60c Pompeian ..... 45c	
	<b>DRUGS</b>	
	Citrocarbonate ..... 1.00	
	75c Listerine ..... 59c	
	1.00 Lavioris ..... 67c	
	1.00 Pepsodent Antiseptic 69c	
	1.00 Zonite ..... 69c	
	1.00 Lysol ..... 75c	
	50c Vick's Salve ..... 29c	
	50c Vick's Nose Drops ..... 34c	
	35c Hill's Nose Drops ..... 29c	
	50c Groves Nose Drops ..... 34c	
	75c Ben Gay Balm ..... 52c	
	30c Hill's Cascara Quinine 23c	
	1.00 Phillips' Magnesia Tablets ..... 79c	
	50c Unguentine ..... 39c	
	1.00 Danderine ..... 69c	
	50c Williams' Shaving Cream (Giant Size) ..... 36c	
	40c Palmolive Shaving Cream ..... 37c	
	35c Colgate's Shav. Cream 33c	
	35c Mennen's Shav. Cream 34c	
	50c Aqua Velva ..... 34c	
	1.25 Fitch's Shampoo ..... 98c	
	1.25 Super D. Cod Liver Oil ..... 1.00	
	3.00 Mylitol ..... 2.50	
	4.00 Haliver Oil Caps ..... 3.75	
	1.00 Rem Cough Syrup ..... 67c	
	65c Pinex ..... 52c	
	35c Zerbst Grippe Caps ..... 23c	
	30c Mentholatum ..... 27c	
	1.00 Energine ..... 67c	
	1.00 Wampole's Preparat'n 89c	
	1.00 Cro Turpin, 1-oz. .... 74c	
	1.00 Mollie Shaving Cream 57c	
	<b>Ovaltine</b> Special 57c	
	<b>Agarol</b> Special 1.00	
	<b>Squibb's Liquid Petrolatum</b> 59c	
	<b>Clearance! All Military Brush Sets</b> Three and Four Piece Sets of Extra-Fine Quality! Half Price	
	<b>Jergens Lotion</b> 1 Size 72c	
	<b>Woodbury Cream or Powder</b> 50c Size 35c	
	<b>Cashmere Bouquet Soap</b> 3 for 25c	

Vandervoort's Toiletries and Drug Shops—First Floor

## New Crepe FROCKS

High Shades for Holidays! Gay Styles for Spring!

5.98

Just the tonic to fill in that gap in your Winter wardrobe! Six stunning styles to choose from every one with new Spring fashion details! Also many smart tailored styles!

Red, Green, Peacock, Gold, Gray Beige and Navy

Sizes 14 to 20

Vandervoort's Pin Money Dress Shop—Second Floor

## First Time at This Low Price!... A CALLIPYGIAN

"Sensation"

combination

5.00

Regular 7.50 Value

A Real "Sensation at this low price IS a sensation!"

It's made of run-proof, washable two-way stretch—the popular choice of slender girls and women who realize that light restraint is the means to a flattering silhouette.

And it has the clever "Double-Knit" back which transforms rear bulges to "Callipygian" flatness.

Sizes 32 to 38

Vandervoort's Corset Shop—Third Floor

## After-Christmas Sale 2500 Pairs of Our Better... WOMEN'S SHOES

Shoes Formerly Priced Up to 10.50

Shoes Formerly Priced Up to 14.50



3.89

Included Are These Well-Known Makes:

Van Moor  
Adoria  
Vitality  
Health Shoes!



5.89

Included Are These Well-Known Makes:

Palter  
De Liso  
Van Moor  
Adoria

All taken from our regular stock! Types included are pumps, straps, sandals and ties in suede, kid, calf, patent and alligator. Dressy types, spectator, street and some evening styles! Colors—Black, brown, gray, blue and beige. Broken sizes, but all sizes are in the group.

Materials are suede, kid, calf and repp cloth... types are pumps, straps, sandals, ties... colors—black, brown, blue, gray and beige. Dressy types, street, spectator, and some evening shoes. Sizes are broken, but we have all sizes in the group.

All Heel Types Included! No Mail Orders! No Phone Orders! All Sales Final! No Exchanges!

Vandervoort's Shoe Salon—Second Floor

## Dollar Sale of HOUSEWARES

### Phone Orders

Through this convenience, every department of this great store is at your command.

Chestnut 7500  
Webster 3300



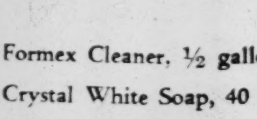
Cake Cover

In your choice of several bright colors; complete with tray and carrying rack. 1.00



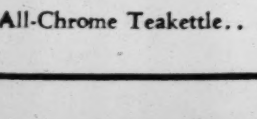
Cookie Maker

Genuine Atco cookie maker with appliances for 6 designs. 1.00



Radiator Cover

Grained walnut finish, 34 inches wide, extends to 44 inches long. 1.00



Dish Cloths

You can't have too many of these fine quality Ritz dish cloths. 12 for 1.00



S-V-B Floor Wax, 1.00

Quart, with applicator. Dries to hard, bright finish without rubbing.



Coal Hods 1.00

There are only 48 of these brass finished coal buckets.



Electric Toaster, 1.00

1.75 value, chrome-finished, 2 slice, flip style, Mica element.



Ovenette 1.00

A handy way to bake on top of your stove.



Cocktail Shaker

1.75 value, heavy hammered chrome finish cocktail shaker, 1.00 with strainer.



Bean Pots

Eight ovenproof individual brown earthenware bean pots. Suitable for any individual baking. 1.00



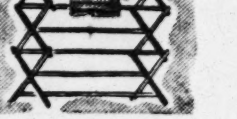
Orange Juicer

Handy cast aluminum press type orange juicer. Gets all the juice from orange. 1.00



Food Mill

Genuine Foley Food Mill. Makes vegetables more palatable. 1.00



Clothes Dryer

Convenient large size indoor folding dryer made of hardwood. 1.00



Card Tables

No burn, no stain top. Standard size, well constructed with cross brace. 1.00

Formex Cleaner, 1/2 gallon... 1.00

Crystal White Soap, 40 bars, 1.00

Electric Iron Cords, 2 for... 1.00

Old English Paste, 2 lbs... 1.00

Window Ventilators... 3 for 1.00

All-Chrome Teakettle... 1.00

**ONE DAY SPECIAL!**  
A. P. W. Jr. Tissue  
4 Rolls 89c  
200 Sheets to a Roll  
Choice of White or Colors

Vandervoort's Housewares—Downstairs

Folding Ironing Board... 1.00

Cocoa Door Mat... 1.00

6 Rolls Scott Towels, Holder 1.00

Whole-Skin Chamois... 1.00

20-Gal. Galvanized Ash Can, 1.00

5-Pc. Mixing Bowl Set... 1.00

## After-Christmas Sale of DRESSES

Our Popular-Price Shops Unite in a Sweeping Disposal of Dresses at Startling Reductions! A Group for Every Need and Budget!

3.98

Dresses Formerly Priced at 6.98

A grand chance to pick up several smart little Dresses to tide you over till Spring! Mostly one or two of a kind in a wide variety of colors and styles! Gay styles for misses, youthful, flattering styles for women!

6.98

Dresses Formerly Priced 10.95 to 14.95

Here's the place to spend that Christmas check—and have enough left over to buy something else! Included are women's and misses' styles... the successes of the season! Early shoppers are assured of rare bargains!

40 Special-Size Dresses, formerly priced from 17.95 to 22.75, reduced to 12.95

Vandervoort's Apparel Shop—Third Floor

4.98

Dresses Formerly Priced at 10.95

8.98

Dresses Formerly Priced 14.95 to 17.95

20 Special-Size Dresses, formerly priced from 22.75 to 29.75, reduced to 14.95

## Clearance! Girls' Floor Length PARTY DRESSES

GROUP 7.98 Were 10.95 and 11.95

Size 12 2 Red, 1 Brown 1 Black Net 2 Taffetas  
Net: 1 Pink Crepe 2 Taffetas

GROUP 10.95 Were 13.95 and 14.95

Size 12 2 Cream Nets 11 Taffetas  
8 Taffetas 4 Moires 1 Flamingo Crepe 9 Taffetas  
1 Moire

GROUP 13.95 Were 17.95

Size 12 2 Taffetas 3 Moires  
1 Crepe 1 Satin, 1 Moire 1 Taffeta 1 Crepe

Vandervoort's Girls' Shop—Third Floor

## WALL PAPER

12 Rolls for 1.00

35c to 35c values. 30-inch Stippletones and Poly-chromes; embossed sun-tested papers; also waxed and varnished.

Vandervoort's Popular-Priced Wall Paper Shop—Fourth Floor



## DANIEL F. MEEHAN, POLITICIAN, DIES

Formerly Was Head of Democratic Committee and Member of City Council.

Daniel F. Meehan, 65 years old, former City Councilman and former chairman of the Democratic City Committee, died yesterday in Alexian Brothers' Hospital, of a

cerebral hemorrhage, after a month's illness. The funeral will be held at 8:30 a. m. Friday at St. Louis Cathedral, with interment in Calvary Cemetery. Mr. Meehan, who was unmarried, lived at 4588A Laclede avenue. Mrs. Susan Keane and the Rev. Father Bart Keane, cousins, are his nearest surviving relatives.

He was formerly connected with the Standard Varrish Co. Active for a long period in Democratic politics, he was elected twice to the House of Delegates, serving from 1903 to 1907, and was elected in 1913 to the last City Council, which went out of office in 1915 when the present Charter went into effect. He later served as head of the City Committee.

Two Skaters Drowned. SHAWNEE, O., Dec. 26.—Harry Jones, 11 years old, and Harold Morrow, 12, were drowned last night when they broke through the ice of the Claycraft reservoir on which they were skating.

## PRESIDENT HER SANTA



—Associated Press Photo.  
NOLA HALL,

## PRESIDENT SENDS DRESS TO SCHOOL GIRL IN MISSOURI

Nola Hall, 15, of Aurora, Who Found There Was No Santa, Took F. D. R. as Next Best.

By the Associated Press.

AURORA, Mo., Dec. 26.—Nola Hall, 15 years old today had a plaid dress, all because she wrote President Roosevelt she thought him "next best" to Santa Claus.

The dress came from Washington in a box with a message which said: "In answer to your prayer to President Roosevelt."

"I am 15 years old and I want a size 14 dress," Nola wrote the President about two weeks ago. "I have just found out that there is no Santa Claus, and since you are the next best person to him, I thought I would write to you. I want a brown, plaid, wool dress for Christmas. I am a sophomore in high school and I would like to be a surgeon."

"Was I surprised?" said Nola. "I'll say. I tried the dress on. It's sort of a brown wool plaid with orange and it has a zipper front. That's what all the girls are wearing at the Aurora High School now and that's exactly the kind of dress I wanted."

"I'm going to write the President a thank-you letter."

## SEEKS TO BAR CONFESSIONS IN STATION KILLING CASE

Attorney Files Petition Charging Third Degree Methods Were Used on R. T. Galatas.

By the Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 26.—A petition to prevent the use of alleged confessions made by Richard T. Galatas in his trial Dec. 31 on a charge of conspiracy to obstruct justice in the Union Station slayings, was filed here Monday by Henry L. Baiban of Chicago, his attorney.

The petition charged that "third degree" methods were used by Federal agents in obtaining the alleged confessions. Galatas asserted he and his wife were arrested in New Orleans Sept. 27 without a warrant, and held for five days in the apartment of an agent, David McGee. He said he was taken to Chicago in an airplane and that Federal agents there beat him with a rubber hose, struck him with their fists and threatened to push him from a window.

In addition to McGee, Galatas named Dwight Brantley, Harold E. Anderson and R. C. Suran, as well as a number of others whose given names he did not know, as those who participated in the alleged "third degree." He asked that the statements taken from him be suppressed at his trial, which is scheduled to start before Federal Judge Merrill Otis, Dec. 31.

## PROSECUTOR ANDERSON HAS MANY CHRISTMAS VISITORS

Steady Stream All Day at Hospital; 100 Floral Pieces, Large Number of Gifts.

C. Arthur Anderson, Prosecuting Attorney of St. Louis County, who has been in the County Hospital since Oct. 9, when his automobile was crowded off the highway by assailants, was permitted to have visitors all day yesterday. There was a steady stream of callers.

More than 100 floral pieces were delivered at the hospital for him. At his order many of these were distributed to other patients. Gifts were so numerous that members of his family were compelled to make several trips in taking them to his home. Today he said he expected to be back at his office in a relatively short time.

## TAX COLLECTIONS

### BETTER THAN IN '33

\$15,346,000 or 54 Pct. of Realty and Personality Levy Paid, Koeln Announces.

Collections of 1934 real estate and personal property taxes to date total \$15,346,488 or 54 per cent of the total levy of \$28,218,616. Collector Koeln's office announced today.

On the same date last year, a total of \$13,802,668 or about 48 per cent of the levy of \$28,790,077 had been collected.

The 1934 taxes became delinquent at midnight Dec. 31 after which penalties of 1 per cent of the levy were added to the bill. Letters containing money orders or checks postmarked before that time will be accepted without penalty.

Reasons Given for Increase. Officials in the Collector's office attributed the increase in payments this year to the fact that bills were sent out a week earlier than last year and to the fact that many taxpayers, including large corporations, paid early to take advantage of special discounts, also in effect last year, and amounting to three-quarters of 1 per cent if the bill was paid in October, one-half of 1 per cent in November, and one-quarter of 1 per cent for the present month. Formerly most of the larger bills were paid on Dec. 31 to save interest.

The Collector also made a special effort to have taxpayers pay earlier this year by a series of newspaper advertisements pointing out the discounts in force if bills were paid early.

74 Pct. Expected by Jan. 1. Budget Director Meyers has estimated that 74 per cent of the levy will be paid by Jan. 1. If this figure is reached, the Collector's office believes that the bulk of the payments will come from payers of small bills.

The Collector's office was not crowded today, although a few persons were on hand waiting for the office to open at 9 a. m. The large crowds usually come on the last two days on which it is possible to pay bills without penalty.

Personal property returns for 1935 taxes must be filed with the Assessor, Room 115, City Hall, by Jan. 1, or the Assessor has the power to make an arbitrary assessment and double it. Taxes on these returns are not due until the latter part of next year.

## MEXICAN DRINK FOR U. S.

Federal Hearing on Proposal to Permit Distilling of Tequila.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The Federal Alcohol Control Administration will conduct a hearing Dec. 29 in the matter of permitting the distilling of tequila, a Mexican cactus drink, in the United States.

A group of men of Nogales, Ariz., has sought permission to make tequila for distribution in this country.

## BONUS TO SCHENLEY EMPLOYEES

Five Per Cent Payments Made to Salaried Workers.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Celebrating the close of its first business year since repeal of the Schenley Distillers yesterday declared 5000 employees in a profit-sharing plan. To salaried employees in all branch offices and plants throughout the country the company mailed checks representing 5 per cent of their salaries for the year.

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## AWAKE EARLY ON CHRISTMAS; BOY SAVES FAMILY FROM GAS

Child, 4, Cries Out When Stove Fumes Fill House at Pawtucket, R. I.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Dec. 25.—Awake at 4 a. m., in expectation of seeing what Santa Claus had left, 4-year-old Philip George Jr. saved his parents and two sisters from coal gas fumes yesterday.

Finding the house filled with fumes, the boy cried out, waking his father, Philip George Sr. The father collapsed from the fumes when he tried to reach the child, but later managed to drag himself from the room and wake his wife, Antoinette, and his two daughters, Gertrude, 12, and Gloria, 10.

George then made his way to the home of his brother, Romeo, a short distance away. Romeo called police, who assisted in getting the other members of the family from the house. The fumes came from a parlor stove, police said.

## ISOBEL STEELE BACK IN U. S.

Says She Is Too Nervous to Tell of Imprisonment by Nazis.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Isobel Steele, dark-haired Hollywood woman, who was held four months in Moabit prison in Berlin by Nazi political police, returned to the United States today on the President Harding, saying she was "too nervous to tell of my experiences."

She was arrested for alleged espionage about four months ago and held incommunicado in Moabit prison. Formal documentary charges were never presented in the case, which was concluded when the

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American Consular authorities brought about her release. She said she was leaving for Hollywood as soon as possible after completing arrangements to write her experiences for a publication.

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10-pc. Walnut Dining-Room Suite, 59.50  
New Overstuffed Lounge Chairs, 9.95  
**OCCASIONAL PIECES**  
1-49 Metal Smoking Stands, 89c  
1-49 Walnut-Finish End Tables, 89c  
1-29 Reed Clothes Hampers, 25c  
Side New Lamp Shades, 10c  
New Occasional Walnut-Finish Tables, 2.95  
Walnut-Finish Coffee Tables, 2.95  
Lamps, complete, 2.95  
**MISCELLANEOUS**  
Reconditioned All-Electric Radios, from 5.00  
All Circulating Heaters, 25% Off  
Sample Utility Cabinets, 3.45  
**SAVE! Bedroom Furniture**  
New Walnut or Maple 4 Posters or Jenny Lind Beds, 8.75  
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Electrolux has provided a special financing plan for these dealers. Finance charges have been materially reduced. You can get easier and longer terms. \$4.50 per month for the first two months. Twenty-four months to pay the balance.  
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Go to any of the reputable dealers listed below and see his magnificent display of these Refrigerators. Your dealer is making an unusually large trade-in allowance for your old ice box or refrigerator. Think what a bargain this sale offers. Drastic savings plus extra trade-in allowance.  
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## TAX ON CHECKS

EXPIRES ON JAN. 1

Levy That Produced \$4,000 in Last Fiscal Year Expected to Be Rev.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—who pay by check will get next Tuesday when the tax on checks expires. This duty \$41,383,198 last fiscal year but the opinion is expressed many quarters on Capitol Hill it will not be revived. Some House members have received intimations that the tax may be asked.

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Seconds of 78c Grade!

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Fully cut Shirts  
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## 69c Priscilla Curtains, 2 for \$1

Choice of printed scrim or woven corded dots on cream grounds... with pastel ruffles. Headed, ready to hang.

**\$1.49 Lace Panels, Each \$1**

Lace Curtain Panels in many desirable, woven designs. All are in new tailored style... with fancy weaves.

**29c Curtaining, 5 Yards \$1**

Large selection of Curtains, marquisette, grenadine or voile. Novelty woven designs, dots and others.

**20c Marquisette, 10 Yards \$1**

Splendid quality printed Marquisette in color-contrast designs that withstand many tubings.

**Terry Cloth, 3 Yards for \$1**

Seconds of 65c grade! Heavy quality "Rajah" Terry Cloth in bright floral patterns, 36 inches wide.

## Suede Cloth Shirts

**\$1.29 Value!****\$1**

For men who work  
or play in the open.  
Well made of soft  
suede fabric... in  
coat style. Good size  
range.  
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**\$1.59 Card Tables \$1**

"Queen" Card Tables... sturdy construction on heavy frames. Covered with washable Keratol.

**\$1.49 End Tables \$1**

Attractively designed End Tables with elegant shaped tops. Walnut finish... sturdy construction.

**49c Lamp Shades, 3 for \$1**

Attractive paper parchment Shades in junior, bridge, table and lounge sizes. Glassine trimmed.

**\$1.79 Bridge Lamps \$1**

Charmingly designed Bridge Lamps. All-metal... with heavy arms and bases. Complete with paper parchment shades.

**\$1.29 Bed Lamps \$1**

Dainty rayon taffeta bed lamps... neatly trimmed and stretched on strong wire frames. Wired.

**88c Drape Damask, 2 Yds. \$1**

Heavy quality nub brocade drapery Damask in a full range of wanted drapery shades. 36 inches wide.

## Girls' Silk Frocks

**\$1.95 Value!****\$1**

Flat crepe or taffeta  
Frocks in pastel  
and bright shades.  
Ruffled or straight-  
line skirts. Short  
sleeves. 7 to 14.  
Basement Economy Store

**Window Shades, 3 for \$1**

Washable "Rayon" shades... 36 inches wide and 6 feet long. Mounted on spring rollers and complete with brackets.

**\$1.29 to \$1.79 Silks, Yard \$1**

Splendid quality Silks including Canton Crepe, pure dye crepe, novelty crepe, rough crepe and others.

**Silks and Rayons, 2 Yards \$1**

50c to 60c values! Plain silks, plain rayon crepes, printed rayon crepes and many others in wanted colors.

**\$1.19 to \$1.49 Woolens, Yard \$1**

54-inch-wide dress fabrics in crepe and other popular weaves. Good range of favorite colors.

**\$1.25 Electric Toasters \$1**

Two-slice Toasters with black bases and chrome-plated doors. With connected cord.

## Thursday!

## Women's and Misses' Gay Dresses

Newly Arrived Group Featured Dollar Day Only

**2 for \$5**

Colorful prints and print combinations in favored shades for Winter! Tunic, peplum, hostess, formal and street types... cleverly trimmed. Sizes 14 to 44.  
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**\$1.25 Electric Irons \$1**

Knapp-Monarch Irons... heavily nickel plated... with convenient tip-up heel stand. Complete with cord.

**"Real Tone" Tubes, 3 for \$1**

RCA licensed, high efficiency Tubes. Tubes including types 12CA, 26, 27, 45, 71 and 80. List priced 70c and 75c!

**Radio Tubes, 2 for \$1**

Originally list priced \$1 to \$1.30! RCA licensed... types 24, 35, 51, 47 and 99.

**59c to 69c Gloves, 2 Pairs \$1**

Women's fabric gloves with fancy or plain cuffs. Black, brown and light shades. Sizes 6 to 8.

**\$1.29 Capeskin Gloves \$1**

Misses' and women's fleece-lined capeskin gloves in sizes 6 to 8. Choice of black or brown.

**5c 'Kerchiefs, 24 for \$1**

Men's white Cambric Handkerchiefs... full size... with 1/4-inch hemstitched hems.

**5c 'Kerchiefs, 24 for \$1**

Women's print Handkerchiefs... colored woven or embroidered styles... and others.

**10c 'Kerchiefs, 12 for \$1**

Women's sports prints or white linen Handkerchiefs with hand-embroidered corners.

**\$1.49 Umbrellas \$1**

10 and 12 rib cotton Umbrellas with fancy tips and handles for women! 10-rib kind with Prince of Wales handles for men.

**Boys' Knickers****Dollar Day Special!****\$1**

Fully lined, worsted cuff Knickers in a wide selection of suiting fabrics. Sizes 10 to 18.

**Men's 'Kerchiefs, 2 Boxes \$1**

Cotton woven and satin woven border Handkerchiefs with large initials. Packed 3 in a box.

**Knives and Forks, 12 for \$1**

Stainless steel Knives and Forks with colored handles. Set of 6 Knives and 6 Forks for \$1.

**4c 'Kerchiefs, 30 for \$1**

Women's and children's Handkerchiefs... prints and colored woven border kind included in this group.

**Men's Gloves, 2 Pairs for \$1**

Seconds of 75c grade! Lined or unlined. Gloves in strap or dome fastened styles. Horsehide or sheepskin.

**Men's Coat Sweaters \$1**

Fine-gauge cotton Sweaters... well-known "Rondax" brand! With two pockets and flat-lock seams. Wanted colors.

**Men's Warm Sweaters \$1**

V-neck style, sleeveless or sleeve Sweaters of all-wool or wool-mixed yarns.

**Chambray Work Shirts, 2 for \$1**

Triple-stitched, 2-pocket style work Shirts of sturdy blue chambray. Collar-attached, coat model.

**Part-Wool Work Shirts \$1**

For men! Heavy quality, collar-attached coat Shirts with full body and sleeves. Sturdily tailored.

**Tots' Snowsuits****\$1.98 Value!****\$1**

Blanket cloth Snowsuits in pastel shades and white. All with matching helmets. Sizes 3 and 4 only in this group.

**Men's All-Wool Sweaters \$1**

Slight seconds! Brushed surface Sweaters in splendid weight for Winter wear. With two pockets and V-necks.

**Dress or Driving Gloves \$1**

Lined and unlined leather gloves in slip-on and strap-wrist styles. Black or brown. For men.

**Men's Warm Windbreakers \$1**

Button-front, 2-pocket style Windbreakers with collars, ribbed cuffs and waistbands. Medium sizes only.

**Men's Silk Mufflers, 2 for \$1**

Refter style Mufflers with heavily fringed ends. Some have initials. White or colors.

**Men's Sweatshirts, 2 for \$1**

Seconds! Heavy quality, thick piece Sweatshirts with ribbed cuffs and waistbands.

**Broadcloth Shirts, 2 for \$1**

For boys! Novelty prints or broadcloth Shirts... fully cut... collar-attached style with long sleeves.

**Boys' Wool-Mixed Sweaters \$1**

V-neck pullover style Sweaters in plain colors and novelty Jacquard patterns.

**Boys' Windbreakers \$1**

Cotton suede fabric Windbreakers with shawl collar and web waistband or in Cosack type. Button-front style.

## Smart Hats

**Dollar Day Special!****\$1**

Brim, off-the-face and turban style Hats of silk and cello crepe, cellophane and straw cloths. Black, brown and colors. Wanted head sizes.

**Boys' Sleepers, 2 for \$1**

Cotton flannelette or cotton Sleepers in one-cut. Splendidly tailored and fully cut.

**Sleeveless Sweaters, 2 for \$1**

Men's and boys' Sweaters in novelty weaves. Warm Winter weight in a wide range of popular colors.

**Boys' Sweaters, 2 for \$1**

Pullover style Sweaters in V-neck, long-sleeve style. Solid shades or novelty weaves.

**Boys' Sweatshirts, 2 for \$1**

Slight seconds! Terry cloth Sweatshirts in eight shades. Heavy quality, close-weave kind.

**Boys' Wool Shorts \$1**

Tailored of all-wool worsted suiting fabrics and neat casimers. Fully lined. Sizes 5 to 11.

**Boys' \$1.49 Playalls \$1**

Sturdy, fully cut Playalls of serviceable hickory stripe or pincheck fabrics. Resist the wear of active boys. 13 to 16.

**Boys' Overalls \$1**

Heavy blue denim Overalls... made just like dad's! They have 6 pockets and are triple stitched and bar-tacked. Sizes 6 to 16.

**Helmets or Knit Caps, 2 for \$1**

Boys' leatherette Helmets with or without goggles. Also wool stocking caps in a variety of sizes and Chinchilla fabric helmets or hats.

**Men's Cottonade Pants \$1**

Wear-resistant, dark cottonade Trousers... sturdily tailored of heavy-weight fabric. Sizes 30 to 44.

**"Union Made" Overalls \$1**

22½-inch wide, blue denim Overalls for men. Triple stitched... fully cut... and bar-tacked. Sizes 32 to 42... Jumpers in sizes 38 to 44.

**Men's Overall Pants \$1**

Tailored of blue denim and other serviceable fabrics favored for work wear. Broken sizes... so be here early for choice selection.

**Arch Footwear****Dollar Day Special!****\$1**

Women's black kid center buckle straps with sturdy leather soles and rubber military heels. Sizes 4 to 9.

**Women's Smart Footwear \$1**

Clearance offering of slightly shopworn Footwear including sueded, kid, satin and patent leathers. Good size range.

**Women's Slippers, 2 Pairs \$1**

The value! Clearance offering of crepe, felt or leatherette Slippers... with or without heels. Sizes 3 to 8.

**Infants' \$1.39 Shoes \$1**

They have extremely flexible soles and easily cleaned uppers of smoke or brown elk, black and patent leathers. 2 to 5.

**Comfortable Slippers, 3 Pairs \$1**

Slightly shopworn. Men's and children's Slippers of felt, leatherette or leather. Wanted sizes.

**Men's \$1.39 Slippers \$1**

Leather sole Slippers with uppers of kid or hard grain. Open style... with rubber heels. Sizes 6 to 11.

**Hershey Kisses, 5 Lbs. \$1**

Pure Milk Chocolate Kisses... each piece wrapped in tin-foil. Specially priced for Dollar Day only.

**\$1.39 Half-Size Frocks \$1**

Slenderizing house Dresses of vat-dyed prints... in flattering models... daintily trimmed. Sizes 42½ to 52½.

**Warm Pajamas \$1**

Women's cotton flannelette Pajamas in blazer stripes and pastel shades. 2-piece style... regular sizes.

**Children's Shoes****\$1.29 to \$1.49 Values!****\$1**

Solid leather Shoes and Oxfords with patent, black, brown or grain uppers. Sizes 8 to 2.

**Bedspreads \$1**

Jacquard weave cotton Bedspreads... 80x80 inch size. With scalloped edges. Slight seconds.

**Bed Sheets \$1**

81x90-inch fully bleached, seamless Sheets... high-count quality. With tape selvage... free from dressing.

**35c Tubing, 5 Yards \$1**

42 inches wide... Fully bleached, seamless and cut from the bolt.

**22c Toweling, 7 Yards \$1**

All-linen, 16 inches wide Toweling that is fully bleached. Colorful borders... for kitchen or tea towels.

**Flannelette\*, 10 Yards \$1**

36 inches wide, soft, warm flannelette cotton Flannelette with fancy stripes on light grounds. Cotton.

**Brown Muslin, 10 Yds. \$1**

High-count quality, unbleached Muslin for mattress covers, sheets and many other household purposes. 39 inches wide.

**20c Stevens Towels, 7 for \$1**

All-linen, 17x32-inch size Towels... fully bleached... with border all around. Hemmed ends.

**Mattress Covers \$1**

Heavy unbleached sheeting Covers... tape bound... with non-breakable rubber buttons. Full Beauty Rest of twin size.

**Bath Towels, 10 for \$1**

Slight seconds! 18x30-inch size, fully bleached Bath Towels with colored borders. Single thread, absorbent quality.

**New Percales, 8 Yards \$1**

Vat-dyed, charmingly printed Percales in a host of attractive patterns. 36 inches wide.

**25c Broadcloth, 7 Yards \$1**

Fully bleached, highly mercerized Broadcloth for men's shirts or pajamas. 36 inches wide.

**Warm Blankets \$1**

Beautiful, plaid pattern Blankets that contain 5½ wool! Bound with cotton cases. Limit of two to a customer.

**22c Pillowcases, 7 for \$1**

High-count quality, fully bleached Cases that are free from dressing. Deeply hemmed. 36x66-inch size.

**25c Percales, 6 Yds. for \$1**

80-square quality Percales in beautifully designed prints. Specially offered for Dollar Day only.

**Silks—Acetates****79c to \$1.39 Value!****1 1/2 yds. \$1**

Specially purchased group of print crepes, flat crepes, rough weaves, satins and others.

**Basement Economy Balcony****Floorcovering, 4 Sq. Yds. \$1**

Seconds of 39c grade! Two yards wide, heavy quality felt-base Floorcovering in a wide range of colors and patterns.

**49c Rug Border, 3 Yards for \$1**

36 inches wide, felt-base Rug Border in light and medium dark shades. Imparts to floors a hardwood appearance.

**69c Rag Rugs, 2 for \$1**

24x48-inch size Rag Rugs with border and heavily fringed ends. Predominating shades of rose, blue or green.

**10c Stair Treads, 15 for \$1**

8x17-inch size Stair Treads... with heavy curved nosing that resists wear. Maroon shade.

**49c Runner, 3 Yards for \$1**

"Rubberlike" Runner with corrugated center. 36 inches wide... black only. For halls subject to constant use.

**35c Hall Runner, 4 Yards \$1**

24 and 27-inch Hall Runner in several attractive patterns and color combinations. With bordered sides.

**\$1.39 Chenille Rugs \$1**

Washable, colorful Chenille Rugs in several pleasing designs. Fringed ends. 24x48-inch size.

**\$1.39 Coco Mats \$1**

Large Coco Mats with thick, heavy brush... strongly bound. The kind that will wear and wear.

**79c Throw Rugs, 2 for \$1**

27x54-inch size Rugs in green or 1-hb. color of paste wax for those bare spots around the home.

**Floorcovering, 3 Sq. Yds. \$1**

Two yards wide, heavy quality felt-base Floorcovering in pleasing designs that add cheer to the floor.

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\$1.69 value! Two yards wide, heavy quality Inlaid Floorcovering in 4 to 12 square yard pieces.

**Glo-Coat and Varnish, Both \$1**

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2-lb. can of Johnson's Paste Wax or quart of Johnson's Liquid Wax and package of rubberized rug "Taka".

**\$1.49 Kleen-Floor and Wax \$1**

Pint of Johnson's Kleen-Floor wax or 1-lb. can of paste wax and quart of Johnson's Kleen-Floor in this special combination.

## Bright Smocks

**\$1.95 Value!****\$1**

Colorful office Smocks... with effective bands of contrasting color as trimmings. Sizes 16 to 42.

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Tailored of lustrous, white poplin in correct styles for maids, beauticians and laboratory workers. Sizes 14 to 44.

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Clever wash Dresses of bright prints, dots, stripes and flowered designs. Youthful models, sizes 14 to 44.

**69c and 79c Slips, 2 for \$1**

Built-up style broadcloth Slips in neatly hemstitched models. Silhouette type. Regular and extra sizes.

**69c Nightgowns, 2 for \$1**

Cotton flannelette Gowns... fully cut and neatly trimmed. With double yokes in back and front. Regular sizes only.

**Crisp Hooverettes, 2 for \$1**

60c and 79c values! Cheerful prints... some with organdy trims. Easily slipped on. Regular sizes.

**Crepe or Muslin Gowns, 2 for \$1**

All-white cotton crepes, daintily embroidered. Furto, Ribbons and neatly trimmed muslin Gowns with touches of lace.



refresh your wardrobe and spare your budget  
in the annual clearance that began today!

# After-Christmas APPAREL SALE

## Costume Room Gowns

Specially Selected Group...Originally  
\$59.75 to \$165...Less

Here's all the sophistication  
and beauty you expect of Costume  
Room creations...at important  
savings! Many an exclusive  
model for daytime, dinner, and  
evening. Satins, crepes and metals.  
Sizes for women and misses.

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Originally \$17.95 to \$29.75 **\$11** Originally \$10.95 to \$16.50 **\$6.35**

Scores of clever fashions  
for sports, street and  
dressy wear. In sizes for  
women and misses.

A Thrift Shop group, in-  
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noon types in women's and  
misses' sizes.

\$5.98 to \$6.98 Cossack Suede Jackets, 14 to 20. **\$4.85**  
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## Distinctive Winter Coats

Selected Group, Originally \$125 to \$195, Less

Gloriously furred models...flaunt-  
ing Silver Fox, Mink, and other  
luxurious pelts...on fabrics of lux-  
urious beauty! You can have much  
pleasurable wear out of yours in  
months to come! Sizes for women  
and misses.

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## 2 Exciting Coat Groups

Originally \$59.75 to \$79.50 **\$46** Originally \$89.50 to \$110 **\$66**

Forstmann's and other  
famed fabrics...lavishly  
furred. Juniors', misses',  
petites.

Special...taken from  
our own stock of better  
Coats. Sizes for women,  
misses, petites.

## Smart Fur Coats

At Supreme Savings!

Originally \$89.50 to \$125 **\$68** Originally \$195 and \$225 **\$168**

Choose from pony,  
muskrat, and other  
attractive pelts in  
smart models for  
women and misses.

Hudson Seal\*...in a  
rich, glossy quality  
that will strike you as  
amazing at \$168!  
Women's, misses'.

\$29.75 and \$35 Sealine\*\* Jackets.....**\$26**  
\*Dyed Muskrat. \*\*Dyed Coney.

## New Spring Styles

Specially Purchased and Priced!

Frocks...Three Value-Giving Groups

at \$8.75 at \$9.80 at \$13.45

New Spring ideas  
that lend them-  
selves charmingly  
to holiday needs.  
Misses' and Wom-  
en's sizes.

\$12.95 value! Petite  
women's prints and  
crepes in the most  
charming advanced  
models. Sizes 16 1/2  
to 26 1/2.

\$17.95 value! New  
fabrics and colors  
...gaily appropri-  
ate to the coming  
season. Misses' and  
women's sizes.

## Evening Apparel

Very Special, at

**\$12.95 and \$25**

A scintillating array of cocktail  
and dance Frocks in Misses'  
and Women's sizes.

## Spring Suits

Amazing...at

**\$17.95 and \$25**

At \$17.95...Misses' Sports  
Suits, 12 to 20. At \$25, Misses'  
and Women's tailored styles.

Charming Evening Wraps, 12 to 20; remarkable at **\$14.95**  
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Tailored by Nationally Known Master Craftsmen!

New \$35 and  
\$40 Suits, at

**\$21.85**

Many Have Extra  
Trousers, at  
\$5.85

Included are Many  
of Our Higher  
Priced Suits!

There are TWO reasons for this sale! FIRST St. Louis wanted it as evi-  
denced by the overwhelming response which greeted our last offering of  
Rochester-tailored clothes! SECOND a noted Rochester maker had sur-  
plus woollens. We bought them at huge concessions. He tailored  
them with his usual expertness. Here are worsteds, twists and  
shetlands of high quality...definite reasons for heavy traf-  
fic right from the start. Be wise...come early!

Other Groups...in Our After-Christmas Clearance

## Two-Trouser Suits

Decidedly Reduced!

**\$22.95 & \$33.00**

The tailoring and fabric quality  
of these prove them extraordi-  
nary!

## OVERCOATS

Extremely Reduced!

**\$33.00**

Styles, fabrics, colors and pat-  
terns which have made their  
mark this season!

## Simon-Ackerman

Suits Reduced!

**\$29.50 & \$34.50**

Our entire stocks of Simon-Ack-  
erman Suits are included in this  
offering!

**\$29.50 and \$39.50**

Second Floor

Our After-Christmas

## Sale of Silks

An Unparalleled Saving Opportunity!

**\$1.49 to  
\$1.98 Kinds.  
Per Yard...**

**94c**

Bar-sac Moss Crepe  
Skinner's Formal Satin\*\*  
Silk Matelasse  
Print Silk Triple Sheer  
Plaid Silk Canton

\*Acetate. \*\*Silk and Celanese.

Print Silk Satin Crepe  
Print Rosha Crepe  
Novelty Acetate Crepe  
Print Pure Dye Canton  
Striped and Plaid Taffeta

Another  
Group.  
Per Yard...

**79c**

Print Kashmir Crepe  
Pure Dye Silk Crepe  
Print Acetate Crepe  
All-Silk Flat Crepe  
Ripple Silk Crepe

\*Acetate.

Print Chutla Crepe  
Washable Silk Pique  
Striped Silk Shirting  
Plain Acetate Crepe  
Printed Silk Crepe

Third Floor

## Pure Silk HOSE

"Famous-Barr Co. Special"—Full-Fashioned

12,000 Pairs...Value  
to Surpass Your Ea-  
gerest Expectations, at..

**50c**

Starting Thursday

Think of securing this pure silk  
dependable make of Hose at such  
a low price! It's enough to make  
you take stock of your hosiery  
supply...and replenish it for  
some time to come! Lightweight  
...with long-wearing hems and  
feet of lisle...in a selection of  
shades that can be worn with black  
and brown. 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.



Invest Christmas Pin Money in These  
Main Floor





## Welcome News for Mothers! Girls' Dresses

That Set a High Standard for Such a Low Price!

They Sell Regularly at Far More!  
Starting Thursday . . .

These Details Mark Them as Defini-  
tely Superior in Every Particular:

- They Have Four-Inch Hems
- Each Dress Comes With French Panties to Match
- The Colors Will Remain Clear After Laundering
- Many Have Generous Pleats
- Some Trimmed With Dainty Piping and Fagotting
- All Have Painstaking Finishing Touches
- Many Styles to Choose From

**\$1.88**

Crisp new Cottons like these are very, very seldom priced so thriftily! Value-wise mothers will need no urging to choose by the half dozen! The materials include fancy dimities, shirtings, hanky and other bright prints . . . every one absolutely tubfast! Sizes 7 to 12.

Girls' Toggery—Fifth Floor

today saw the opening of our annual sale of



## Lily of France SAMPLES

... at Marvelous Savings

**\$7.50 to \$15 Kinds, \$5 \$16 to \$25 Samples .. \$10**

Exquisite boned and unbonded models for small, average and larger figures . . . a most exceptional selection at these savings!

Luxurious silk brocades and satins in models that are the last word in beauty and effectiveness. Types for every figure.

Camlins, Treos, and Other Famed Makes from Our Regular Stock Included in These Groups

Corsets—Fifth Floor

## sale! Evening Slippers

Began Today . . . Three Thrilling Groups!

**\$6 and \$8.50 Models \$10 and \$12.50 Models \$14.50 and \$18.50 Models**

**\$4.95 \$7.95 \$11.95**

Just when you want the Slippers . . . and can use the savings . . . comes this timely offering! Choose from a sparkling array . . . including creations by Delman, Beaux Arts, and Laird-Schober. Gold and silver kid, dyeable satin, faille or rich crepe de chine.

Unusually Complete Selection of Sizes and Widths

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## Thursday . . . Fill Your Needs From These Outstanding Features in DRUGS AND TOILETRIES

Stock Up Now . . . and Benefit by These Economically Low Prices!

Quantities Limited to Retail Requirements!

**Lady Esther Face Cream**  
Discontinued \$1.25 Size,  
**74c**

**T. M. C. Mineral Oil**  
\$2.25 Size, 1 gallon  
**\$1.42**

**Cocomalt Health Food**  
\$1.95 Size, 5-lb. can  
**\$1.42**

**T. M. C. Rubbing Alcohol**  
29c value, 16-oz.  
**2 for 33c**

**20 Mule Team Borax**  
75c Size 5-lb. pkg.  
**53c**

**T. M. C. Aspirin Tablets**  
34c Size . . . **23c**

**Lysol Anti-septic**  
\$1.00 Size . . . **75c**

**T. M. C. Floating Soap**  
30 Bars for **49c**

**Mayco Castile Soap**  
89c Size . . . **59c**

**Pepsodent T'th Paste, New**  
Large Size . . . **38c**

**Vicks Vapo-Rub**  
75c Size . . . **50c**

**Mayco Body Powder**  
\$1.00 Size . . . **69c**

**T. M. C. Sanitary Napkins**  
19c Size . . . **2 for 25c**

**T. M. C. Toilet Tissue**  
1000 Sheets **3 for 27c**



### Save on Toilet & Bath Soaps

Palmolive Soap . . . 10 Bars 42c  
Cashmere Bouquet . . . 3 Cakes 25c  
Lux Toilet Soap . . . 10 Cakes 58c  
Ivory Soap . . . 10 Cakes 48c  
Camay Soap . . . 10 Cakes 42c  
Favorite Flowers Soap . . . 9 Cakes 23c  
White King Soap . . . 10 for 39c  
25c Cuticura Soap . . . 3 for 59c  
59c Mayco Palm Soap, 12 for 44c  
Savon Cadum French Toilet Soap, 6 Cakes 25c  
10c Size Lux Flakes . . . 3 for 23c

**Dental Needs**  
50c Size Forhans Tooth Paste . . . 34c  
50c Size Ipana Tooth Paste . . . 39c  
25c Listerine Tooth Paste . . . 2 for 37c  
50c Size Revelation Tooth Powder . . . 35c  
50c Size Cato Tooth Paste . . . 33c  
50c Size Pebecco Tooth Paste . . . 35c  
50c Size Forhan's Tooth Powder . . . 34c  
Colgate's Tooth Paste, large size . . . 33c

**Hair Preparations**  
\$1.50 Size Fitches Shampoo . . . 88c  
\$1.00 Size Wildroot Hair Tonic . . . 74c  
\$1.35 Size Farr's for Gray Hair . . . \$1.09  
Canute Water, new style . . . 91c  
\$1.00 Size Mulsified Shampoo . . . 70c  
\$1.00 Marrow Oil Shampoo . . . 67c  
75c Size Glover's Mange Medicine . . . 55c  
\$1.00 Size Liquid Arvon . . . 67c

**Drugs and Remedies**  
\$1.00 Size Zonite . . . 70c  
\$1.20 Size Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin . . . 80c  
\$1.50 Size Fellow's Syr. Hypophosphites, \$1.10  
\$1.50 Size Agarol . . . \$1.00  
\$1.25 Size Citracarbonate . . . \$1.00  
\$1.25 Size 100's Empirin Tablets . . . 90c  
30c Size Grove's Bromo Quinine . . . 24c  
30c Size Hill's Cascara Quinine . . . 19c  
75c Size Baume Bengay . . . 50c  
50c Size Vick's Nose Drops . . . 34c  
25c Size Zerbst's Capsules . . . 15c  
Seidlitz Powders, 12's . . . 2 for 31c  
\$1.00 Size Zemo Liquid . . . 67c

**Beauty Aids**  
50c T.M.C. Beauty Skin Balm . . . 42c  
59c T.M.C. Theatrical Cream, 1 lb. . . 39c  
\$1.00 T.M.C. Cleansing Cream . . . 69c  
50c Size Jergen's Lotion . . . 36c  
50c Size Woodbury Creams . . . 35c  
\$1.50 Size Hopper Restorative Cream, 74c  
\$1.50 Size Krank's Cleansing Cream . . . 89c  
50c Size Vivaudou Almond Cream . . . 32c  
50c Size Woodbury Face Powder . . . 35c  
60c Size Pompeian Face Powder . . . 45c  
Lucretia Vanderbilt Face Powder . . . 25c  
\$1 Size Phillipe Powder, discontinued, \$1.10  
Evening in Paris Powder, Perfume, \$1.10  
Coty Face Powder and Perfume . . . 98c  
\$2.50 Coty Double Compacts . . . \$1.39  
\$1.10 Coty Perfumes, 1/4 oz., discont'd, 69c  
50c Size Houbigant Talcum . . . 42c  
\$1.50 Houbigant Bath Powder . . . 79c

**T. M. C. Products**  
60c Aromatic Cascara, 8-oz. . . 39c  
33c Puff Glycerin, 1 lb. . . 25c  
32c Witch Hazel, 16 oz. . . 25c  
69c Oil & Agar Compound, 16 oz. . . 53c  
79c Beef, Wine and Iron, 16 oz. . . 53c  
35c Castor Oil, 8 oz. . . 23c  
45c Chloroform Liniment, 8 oz. . . 32c  
25c Glycerin and Rose Water, 6 oz., 2 for 35c  
90c Elixir I. Q. & S., 16 oz. . . 59c  
45c Spirits of Camphor, 4 oz. . . 32c  
39c Mineral Oil, 16 oz. . . 25c  
35c Boric Acid Solution, 8 oz. . . 23c  
59c Aseptic Absorbent Cotton, 16 oz. . . 44c  
20c Peroxide, 16 oz. . . 14c

**Italian Skin Balm**  
\$1.00 size, get several  
**74c**

**Bocabeli Castile Soap**  
\$1.50 size, 4-lb. cut  
**\$1.15**

**Ovaltine Health Drink**  
Large 14-oz. size  
**57c**

**Lifebuoy Soap**  
10 bars for  
**57c**

**Pond's Cleansing Tissues**  
500 sheets to a Box  
**27c**

Inexpensive . . . Yes! But "Far Higher-Priced" Quality in These

## Seamless Jacquard Wiltons

**\$59.75 Value! 9x12 or 8.3x10.6 Sizes; Choice of 27 Styles**

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Start off the New Year with a New Rug . . . a rug that adds a wealth of new beauty to your home, yet needn't cost a large sum! These fill the bill! They've won a name for themselves for their wear-resisting quality and good looks. Persian and Chinese patterns. We've a very limited number for this special offering . . . select promptly!

**\$5 Cash** Plus Small Carrying Charge Puts One in Your Home Right Away—Pay the Balance Monthly  
Ninth Floor



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Roosevelt's Mississ  
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Both Private—and  
Units in System.

20-YEAR PLAN  
FOR THE MIDV

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By MARQUIS W. CHIL  
A Staff Correspondent  
Post-Dispatch.

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PART TWO.

## FEDERAL CONTROL OF ALL POWER LINES ADVOCATED

Roosevelt's Mississippi Valley Committee Wants Both Private and Public Units in System.

### 20-YEAR PLAN FOR THE MIDWEST

U. S. Government Would Spend Billion Dollars for 'Self-Liquidating' Electric Projects.

By MARQUIS W. CHILDS,  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—A proposed plan for the Mississippi Valley calling for expenditures by the Federal Government alone of a billion dollars over a period of 20 years is contained in the report of President Roosevelt's Mississippi Valley Committee.

Half of this would be for "self-liquidating" power installations which would form part of a coordinated, nationwide power system. All power units, both private and governmental, would contribute to this system which would distribute power throughout the country in accord with actual needs. The committee points out that under the "present crazy patchwork of operating areas" large cities have greater power producing capacity than they need at present use, while farming communities lack power.

"An allotment of \$100,000,000 to build independent, self-liquidating rural electric projects would be a safe and soundly justifiable experiment," the committee says.

The committee's report, 234 printed pages, liberally illustrated with graphic charts, implies the need for drastic social revision if present trends pointing to a rapid decline in the standard of living throughout the great valley are to be checked. But the committee shows considerable caution in the concrete suggestions that it makes, emphasizing in its proposed power program, for example, that public competition with existing private companies is not involved.

#### What Is Likely to Happen.

If certain present-day trends were to be projected unaltered into the future, the may would be a sorry one, says the concluding chapter of the report, "The Mississippi Valley of the Future." "We would be compelled to show increasingly large stretches of once fertile lands stripped of their life-giving humus, rivers breaking forth in floods of increasing severity as the denuded slopes permitted an ever-swifter runoff, industry and agriculture becoming ever more precarious, the life of the people on the land becoming more and more disorganized, and a steady increase of farm tenancy and of economic dependency.

"Under such conditions local self-government would be likely to break down, and under the spell of a dire and never ending emergency, economic and political centralization would steadily increase. The comparison of such a situation with the final days of the Roman Empire is not too far-fetched. Civilizations of the past have more than once decayed because of similar causes." The valley and its people need to deteriorate, as did all forms of life in the valleys of the Nile, the Tigris and Euphrates, if only the people unite for a common purpose, show "local jealousies and conflicts of interest," the report adds.

#### Navigation of Rivers.

Navigation of the rivers in the Mississippi system is given a secondary place in the report. The committee places a unified transportation system, in which all transportation resources are utilized for the job of carrying the nation's goods above the development of navigation on inland waterways. The committee finds no "economic justification" for the vast expenditures on the projected improvement of the Upper Mississippi and its tributaries. It will cost, the committee points out, \$91,300,000 to complete the "present project," the creation of a nine-foot channel, on the Upper Mississippi.

The improvement of the Missouri River for navigation the committee also finds of "very doubtful justification." Even the Fort Peck dam and reservoir, being constructed with \$85,000,000 of PWA funds primarily to improve navigation on the Missouri, is given lukewarm approval as the source of potential power development and flood control benefit.

Future proposals for the improvement of navigation should be very closely scrutinized, the committee urges.

This represents a marked departure from traditional river policy, under which Congress has been constantly importuned for navigation improvement. In another respect the report departs from traditional policy. It lays down a basis

## More Napoleon Letters Show French Conqueror In Adversity and Defeat

Facing Exile on Elba, He Wrote Empress Marie Louise: "Your Troubles... Are the Only Troubles I Cannot Bear."

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PARIS, Dec. 26.—Napoleon's interest in the midst of his German campaign in the summer of 1813, in the social affairs of the Empress Marie Louise is disclosed in letter he wrote to his wife:

"My Darling: I am replying to your letter of June 17. I sent the Duke of Dalmatia to Spain to command there in replacement of the King, who is not military and doesn't understand a thing in his domain. The Duchess is making a batch of invitations and this has a very bad effect. For example, she invites people who have been away from Paris for a month or even three months, which causes ridicule and everybody believes this invitation work is done for her friends, so that one is no longer flattered to be invited. You must take care that you make your lists yourself because the dear Duchess is not very capable. General Desbailly ought to give you a list of people who are in Paris in such ways no person absent from Paris will be invited. Good-by, my dearest. Give the little King (their son, the 'King of Rome') three kisses, N."

The French Government last week at an auction in London purchased for \$75,000 a batch of 317 letters which Napoleon wrote to Marie Louise.

**Sought Wife's Aid.**  
A letter, dated from Troyes, Feb. 25, 1814, shows how Napoleon used his wife's influence with her father, the Austrian Emperor:

"Louise Dear: The cold is very hard on our poor soldiers who have to stay on horseback day and night. Your father arrived at Troyes seemingly very sad and in poor health. He seemed to have little enthusiasm for the Russians. He was not very cordial about you. You could do well to write him and complain you never received any news from him and that apparently he has forgotten you. Also that he might help us while taking care of the affairs of his empire, and that he might be reasonable and resolve not to be the tool of England and Russia. At any rate write him a strong letter calling attention to your interests and those of your son. Tell him we are resolved to die rather than to conclude a shameful and dishonorable peace, and that furthermore such a peace would not be good politics because it would not last. Adieu, Sweetheart. All the best.

**Letter That Led to Defeat.**  
The following letter, referred to as having caused the collapse of the empire, has a fateful significance because the messenger was captured by Cossacks who made

the contents known to Gen. Von Blucher, leading him to attack Paris and overthrow Napoleon. It is dated March 23, 1814, from Bar-sur-Aube:

"My sweetheart: Everyone of these last days I have spent on horseback. On the 20th I captured Arcis-sur-Aube. The enemy attacked at 8 o'clock in the evening of the same day. I was victorious; 4000 of their men were killed. I captured two cannon and the enemy took two of mine, so in that respect we are even. On the 21st the enemy's army attacked with a view to protecting its line of communications to Brienne and to the Marne. I attacked on the Marne between the allied armies in order to push them farther from Paris and get my own forces closer to my fortified positions. This evening I shall be at St. Dizier. Goodnight, darling, a big kiss for my son, N."

"They Have Given Me Elba." After the fall of Paris Napoleon wrote from Fontainebleau to Empress Marie Louise, who was at Blois the following letter:

"My sweetheart: I have just received your letter. I have taken your troubles much to heart. They are the only troubles I cannot bear, so do try to be greater than adversity. This evening I will send you the arrangements which have been made. They have given me the Island of Elba, and to you and your son, Parma, Piabena and Guastalla. You will have about 40,000 subjects and an income of from three to four millions. You will at least have a home in the midst of a beautiful countryside while the deplorable existence at Elba would tire you and I should become a bore naturally as I grow older and you still remain young. "Metternich is in Paris. I do not know where your father is. You ought to try to see him en route. If you cannot have Tuscany and if everything is definitely arranged, you and your troubles loom very large for me. All the best (Signed) N. M., Fontainebleau, April 11, 1814. 9 a. m."

**The Last in Collection.**  
From Elba the following August came this last letter in the collection:

"My sweetheart: I have learned with pleasure that Corvisart (Napoleon's doctor) was with you. I am here in a hermitage 600 feet above the sea in the midst of a chestnut forest with a glimpse before me of the entire Mediterranean. This sojourn has been very agreeable and my health is good. I spend part of the day hunting. I want very much to see you and my son. Adieu, my dear Louise. All the best to you. N., Aug. 28, 1814."

### TO GUARD AGAINST FEDERAL ADMISSION TAX EVASION

Government Agents to See Whether Higher Cost of Dinners Is Supplanting Cover Charge.

Determined to see that the Government gets its just due in taxes, Collector of Internal Revenue Sheehan announced today that he would assign as many men as necessary to make the rounds of hotels, night clubs and restaurants New Year's eve to determine whether cover charges, which are taxable, are being replaced by increased prices for table d'hôte dinners including the cost of entertainment.

This year, Sheehan said, the Federal admission tax will not be as easy to evade as formerly, in view of an opinion received by him from D. S. Bliss, Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue. It states that where a flat charge for dinner is made, with no cover charge, the price of admission shall be deemed to be included in the price of the dinner if the bill amounts to \$2.50 a person or more. In such a case, the admission charge will be considered to be 20 per cent of the amount paid for the dinner, such admission charge being taxable at the rate of 1½ cents for each 10 cents or fraction of the amount. Where a cover charge is made, Bliss' opinion stated, it shall be taxed at the rate of 1 cent for each 10 cents or fraction thereof, and in addition, if the price charged for dinner is more than the price customarily charged, the excess also is subject to the cabaret tax of 1½ cents on each 10 cents or fraction.

#### New Cabinet in Peru.

By the Associated Press.  
LIMA, Peru, Dec. 26.—Carlos Armas Layza, youthful Premier-designate, yesterday formed a Cabinet to replace that of Premier Alfredo Rey de Castro, which resigned last week.

## 21 KILLED WHEN TRIBESMEN CLASH WITH FILIPINOS

Group From Mountains Murder Five Villagers and Then Attack Constabulary Force on Mindanao

By the Associated Press.

MANILA, P. I., Dec. 26.—Twenty-one persons were killed when fanatic mountain tribesmen went on the warpath on the Island of Mindanao, advices to Philippine constabulary headquarters here today said.

Sixteen of the dead were members of the mountain tribe, killed when they attacked a constabulary camp in Agusan Province last Saturday.

The other five were Filipino villagers, murdered by the jungle warriors before they swarmed down on the constabulary. Captain Francisco Rosca reported. The constabulary, trained and equipped by the United States Army, suffered no casualties in repulsing the attack of the mountaineers, armed with primitive spears and bolos.

No reason was given for the attack, nor did Captain Rosca specify whether the tribesmen were Moros, Mohammedans and the Southern Philippines.

Mindanao occupies the southeast corner of the Philippine archipelago.

### STRIKERS HOLD PLANT 14 DAYS

Greek Police Then Break In, Find Communist Organization.

By the Associated Press.  
SALONIKA, Greece, Dec. 26.—A strike of 370 workers who had imprisoned themselves in a tobacco factory for 14 days, ended today after police broke down a wall to force entrance into the building.

The authorities said they found the workers operating under a Communist organization, with a Soviet in charge of the strike activities and commissars controlling the food supply, which evidently had been smuggled in from outside. Several of the Communist leaders clashed with the officers. The workers said they were terrorized by the Communists and compelled to barricade themselves in the building.

### ITALY DENIES INTRUSION INTO ETHIOPIAN TERRITORY

Replies to Charge Before League Concerning Advance of Its Somali and Troops.

By the Associated Press.  
ROME, Dec. 26.—The Italian Government in a note to the League of Nations today, denied "any intention on our part of taking the initiative in military operations in Ethiopia."

The note replied to a telegram from Ethiopia to the League Council charging that Italian troops had advanced into Ethiopian territory and occupied Addis.

The Italian note said: "Addis is a town in the district of Uarder, which, like Ualual, has been garrisoned by Italian troops for some years."

The note denied that Guerlogubi was bombarded by Italian airplanes as the Ethiopians alleged.

"The Ethiopian Government has committed an act of flagrant aggression," the Italian note said. "The Italian Government has asked for reparations. It is ready to resume work for the demarcation of the Somali and Ethiopian frontier as soon as the Ethiopian Government shall have furnished the necessary satisfaction."

Italian newspapers followed this news with dispatches saying that Japanese officers had been retained to instruct and reorganize the Ethiopian troops.

By the Associated Press.  
ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia, Dec. 26.—The Ethiopian Government charged today that Italians had settled in Ethiopian territory and were continuing to fly airplanes over it.

The statement said the Italians were building an automobile road from Radir to Addis Ababa, in this country.

### RIOTING IN GLASGOW PRISON

Two Keepers and Six Inmates Are Injured in Demonstration.

GLASGOW, Dec. 26.—Stringent precautions to prevent a general disturbance among its 800 prisoners were taken today in Barlinnie Prison, where unrest among the inmates was manifested in minor incidents last Friday, culminating in rioting on Christmas day. Two keepers and six prisoners were injured in one of the cell blocks yesterday.

The men's exercise had been curtailed as a precaution against the renewal of riotous demonstrations by some of the long-term prisoners who were envious of the occasional smoke permitted inmates awaiting trial but which is denied men who are serving sentences. The guards used their batons to quell the Christmas demonstration.

### Led Ethiopians in Fight With Italians



CHIEF GHOGOLI.

In full array as a warrior, he is said to have led the Abyssinians in a clash on the border in which 110 Ethiopians and 30 Italians were killed. Mussolini has demanded redress and the incident has been laid before the League of Nations.

### FINDS BRAIN STRUCTURE IS NO GUIDE TO INTELLIGENCE

Group of Specialists Unable to Tell Those of Backward People From Advanced Type.

By the Associated Press.  
MOSCOW, Dec. 26.—Prof. L. J. Pines and a group of specialists at the Bekhtereff Brain Institute today exploded the theory that brains of backward people are essentially different from those of the more advanced races.

The scientists announced the results of their investigations following a study of the brains of 600 persons, including those of various races as well as those of 100 outstanding individuals.

Professor Pines said variations in brains found in one race are also met in others and the scientists could not tell from the structure of the brain to what race the person belonged.

Even in the brains of gifted persons, the scientists said, were found features common to those of persons of inferior mental development.

## WAR DEPARTMENT NEGLECT OF U. S. INTEREST CHARGED

House Military Committee Says Operators of \$11,-000,000 Army Base Have Paid Back Only 59 Cents

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The House Military Committee today charged War Department officials were "woefully" lacking in protecting the Government's interests in collecting but 59 cents from the Mercor Corporation, which has been operating a \$11,000,000 army base at Newark, N. J.

The committee has been conducting an investigation into War Department contracts and procurement transactions. It recommended that Mercor Corporation be held to a "strict accounting in the courts."

The Justice Department meanwhile, nearing completion of a separate study of the situation, Assistant Attorney-General Harry Blair said today he would make recommendations to the Attorney-General next week.

**\$5000 Paid-In Capital.**  
The Mercor Corporation organized with \$5000 paid-in capital stock, was given a War Department contract Nov. 27, 1928, to operate the property. The Government was to receive 90 per cent of the net profit.

"Up to Dec. 31, 1933, the total receipts by the Mercor Corporation for storage and services from this Government property amounted to \$4,682,546.78," the committee reported. "Of this sum only \$8 in cash has been covered into the Treasury of the United States."

"Since the money that was paid into the Treasury was paid as part of the operating expenses, only 59 cents of this \$8 was contributed by the Mercor Corporation and the balance of \$741 was paid from money equitably belonging to the United States."

Collected \$4,500,000.  
"It appears that the Government itself has paid into the Mercor Corporation for storage \$45,000 in cash. During the eight years since the Mercor Corporation has been in possession of the property it has

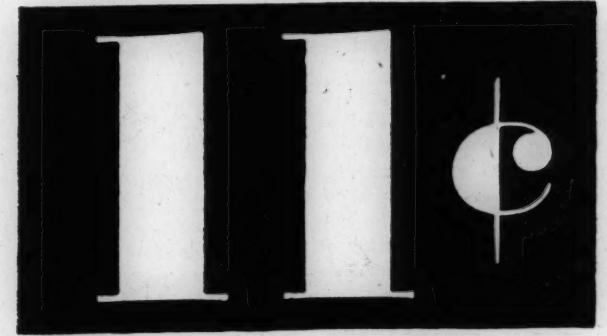
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JOSEPH PULITZER.  
April 10, 1907.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Thanks Hoover Can Win in 1936.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

EARLY, incomplete returns of the November, 1934, national election indicated that, despite gains in congressional strength, the Roosevelt New Deal Government had suffered a heavy loss of public confidence since it took office March 4, 1933. The final figures, supplied by the Associated Press, give the exact measure of that loss and are of vital importance to all who are trying to forecast the final decision of the American people on the Roosevelt New Deal program.

In 1932, 48,963,000 citizens qualified to vote. Only 39,792,000 voted. Mr. Roosevelt got 22,828,000; Mr. Hoover, 15,762,000; minor parties, 1,380,000; qualified but non-voting, 8,999,000. Mr. Roosevelt's plurality was 7,060,000.

In 1934, 47,850,000 citizens qualified to vote. Only 32,280,000 voted. Mr. Roosevelt got 17,440,000; Republican party candidates, 13,513,000; minor parties, 1,327,000; qualified but non-voting, 15,670,000. Mr. Roosevelt's plurality was 3,927,000. (The 1934 Democratic vote is here described as a Roosevelt vote because, by 1934, Mr. Roosevelt had become the sole owner of the Democratic party. All of its candidates ran, not as Democrats, but as Roosevelt New Dealers. The test, as in 1932, was upon the personal leadership of Mr. Roosevelt.)

Mr. Roosevelt and his New Deal got 5,382,000 fewer votes in 1934 than they got in 1932. This loss was sustained after he had held absolute control of the Federal Government for 18 months. He had over 6,000,000 voters on Federal payrolls, farm bonus rolls and relief rolls when the 1934 vote was taken. He had almost no opposition. The Republican party had no campaign fund, no national program, hence no effective national leadership. Minor parties took fewer votes from Mr. Roosevelt in 1934 than in 1932. With all of these apparent advantages in his favor, Mr. Roosevelt lost 5,382,000 of the votes given him in 1932, and the number of qualified voters who were unwilling to vote at all rose from 8,999,000 in 1932 to 15,670,000 in 1934. In other words, 14,840,000 of the combined Republican and minor party polls, voted against the Roosevelt New Deal program, and 15,670,000, unwilling to vote for it, did not vote at all. Here is a total of 30,510,000 citizens who either opposed Mr. Roosevelt or refused to support him, as against only 17,440,000 (including over 6,000,000 Federal payrolls), who voted for him, in 1934.

It is evident the Democratic party must revoke the Roosevelt dictatorship, quit trying to Russify this country, and return to its historic American principles, or take a devil of a licking in 1936. No dictator ever voluntarily surrenders his powers. A Seventy-fourth Congress with an overwhelming majority of members elected clinging to Mr. Roosevelt's coat-tails will scarcely find courage to save their party by revoking his dictatorship. So, barring the possibility that the United States Supreme Court may declare that the Seventy-third Congress violated the Federal Constitution when it delegated its law-making powers to Mr. Roosevelt, the chances seem to me better than even that Mr. Roosevelt will get No for an answer when he asks for a second term in 1936.

Grover Cleveland was elected President in 1884, the first Democrat in the White House after the Civil War. He was badly beaten in 1888; went out of office even less popular with radical and disaffected elements than Mr. Hoover in 1932. Coming back in 1892 as the powerful advocate of tariff reform, he was elected to a second term.

History will, I think, repeat itself in 1936, if the Republican party will nominate Herbert Hoover (its poorest politician but its ablest statesman), upon a platform pledging tariff reform to revive foreign trade; curbing of the monopolies to which the Roosevelt New Deal has given a free rein; establishment of a stable currency based on gold; withdrawal of the Government from competition with private business; reduced taxes and strict adherence to constitutional government, including due respect for the sovereignty of the states in their internal affairs.

Houston, Tex. FRANK PUTNAM.

## Study in Subsistence.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
It begins to look as though the Louisiana Legislature is more subservient to the Louisiana Kingfish than the national Congress is to the well-named Brain Trust. Congress is a little slower, but just as sure; a little fussier but just as faithful. ANSON W. PRESCOTT.  
Theodore, Ala.

## "This Unscientific Age"

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
"THIS UNSCIENTIFIC AGE," an article originally published in Harper's Magazine and reprinted by the Post-Dispatch, Dec. 18, is the most important article that has appeared in years. The author, Robert L. Duffus, tells the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, which should make those in high places hide their heads in shame.

The one instance which proves his thesis is the unscientific treatment of the deadly smoke nuisance and menace to every living being in our own St. Louis for half a century. And we call ourselves human! WILLIAM HENRY GRUEN.

## UP GO THE RATES.

The annual custom of advancing workmen's compensation rates in Missouri has been duly observed this year. Increases granted by the Insurance Department average 1.8 per cent for 520 classifications. Some \$60,000 will be added to the total bill of Missouri employers.

The insurance companies represent that the cost of compensation insurance to them is increasing. They say they cannot make money under the old rates. This is always their representation. They make the same case every year, and except for a single instance, they have secured an annual increase ever since workmen's compensation was established in the State.

The Post-Dispatch has repeatedly urged the adoption by Missouri of State compensation insurance as a means of avoiding abuses under the present system. There is no disposition to deprive the insurance companies of a fair profit on their operation in this field, but to believe that they require an increase in rates every year is impossible. The Insurance Commissioner, who is given power to adjust these rates, usually agrees with the representation that they are too low. Yet they are higher here in some classifications than they are in other states, and only once has the Insurance Commissioner reduced them.

The latest increase should serve to remind the Legislature of the Ohio plan. We have several times shown the advantages of the Ohio plan. We have shown that rates under it are cheaper. We have shown that claims are efficiently adjusted. The Legislature has refused to give the business men of Missouri the advantage of State compensation insurance. The insurance companies have been powerful enough to prevent the passage of any such bill at Jefferson City.

The new Legislature meets next month, convening at a time when another of these rate increases is fresh in the public mind. The Legislature could and should ask itself seriously whether it does not owe Missouri a better system than this.

Supporting the bill which would have put the State into the business of workmen's compensation, we advised the business men of Missouri that they would in time see virtue in the Ohio plan. Everything that has happened since the bill was defeated has borne out this prediction. Almost every year the rate has been increased and the total bill to employers has been made larger.

How long will the employers of the State submit to this? There is no reason why workmen's compensation should be as costly as it is in Missouri. There is every reason why it should be made as cheap in Missouri as it is in Ohio.

## ARMS NATIONALIZATION SENTIMENT IN FRANCE.

The recent vote of confidence which the new French Premier, Pierre Etienne Flandin, received from the Chamber of Deputies bespeaks a rapidly rising sentiment in the chief military power of the world against private profit in the making of munitions. On a motion proposing nationalization of the arms industry, opposed by Premier Flandin, the lower branch of the Parliament stood 388 opposed to 194 in favor. In other words, one-third of the Deputies were willing to go on record as favoring the establishment of a governmental monopoly of armament manufacture.

The full significance of this cannot be appreciated without remembering that France is the scene of the highly influential industrial ramifications of the Schneider-Creusot munitions company, that France spends more on armaments and exports more war supplies than any other country and that France has had no such official investigation to inform its people about the methods of munitions makers as that now being conducted by the United States Senate. In view of these facts, the vote of one out of every three Deputies for arms nationalization in France is most significant.

## OLD MEN FOR WAR?

The ancient maxim, "Old men for counsel, young men for war," will be reversed, or at least considerably altered, if Dr. Herbert Levinstein, president of the British Institute of Chemical Engineers, has his way. The Machine Age has altered the requirements of war, he said in a recent address. "A middle-aged man can drive a tank as well as anybody. . . . Science has made war a much more suitable occupation for middle-aged people than it was in 1914." Therefore, this scientist urges, mobilize the old men when war comes; let youth control the home front. For, he adds with undeniable logic, "the loss of our finest young men in battle is biologically more serious than would be the loss of an equal number of middle-aged people."

Should Dr. Levinstein's dream of gray-beard storm troops and youthful home guards ever become fact, it is safe to say that war would grow less frequent. Aged statesmen and elderly Generals would be less prodigal with ultimatums and attacks were they themselves to occupy the front-line trenches.

Nor is it improbable that the next war, if it comes, will see old men in arms, not to replace the young men, but beside them, or after they are gone. Greater efficiency of the war machines will allow non-combatants, for even women and children will not be immune from the aerial gas and bomb and bacterial attacks. Dr. Levinstein's sardonic statement is a warning of horrors to come if the world persists in its war-like ways.

## A FLOURISHING INDUSTRY.

Electricity continues to be one of the country's most flourishing industries. It produced revenue this year very little below the high mark of 1930, and 3 per cent greater than last year.

The continued strong position of the industry as a whole reflects the increasing degree in which the public regards electricity as a household necessity. In this, the fifth full year of the depression, the people paid \$1,830,000,000 for electricity for household and industrial use, and yet the average household consumption was surprisingly low. As computed by Electric World, a business journal, the average home used only about 52 kilowatt hours a month. Many homes used much less.

Although the average price of 5.34 cents a kilowatt hour for domestic electricity was materially lower than the price of 7 cents which prevailed as recently as 1926, it was nevertheless high as compared with production cost. Many of the best steam generating plants of the country—and some of them municipally owned—are producing electricity for around half a cent a kilowatt hour.

The conclusion seems inescapable that only an extraordinarily high expense of distribution and management could justify a retail price nine or 10 times

the cost of production. Undoubtedly, the water that still stands in many capital structures partly accounts for this condition. The public is determined to have electricity at lower cost.

## MR. RICHBERG'S BEWARE.

The Richberg-Johnson feud boils on. They were good pals once upon a time. Their mutual regard may not have scaled the legendary heights of Damon-Pythias devotion, but in the bright, beaming NRA dawn, each spoke the other well and kindly. That dawn, alas, has faded, and many dreams it inspired have turned to ashes. The twilight's gathering gloom sees Gen. Johnson out in the snow and Donald Richberg, as Recovery Co-ordinator, riding the crest of official favor, and the temple bells of Newdealism toll the end of a capitolian friendship.

Warrior Johnson, back in civvies, so to speak, has written a book, which, before publication, is to appear serially in George Horace Lorimer's widely read magazine. Rumor has been telling Richberg the terrible things Johnson has written about him. To say that Richberg is perturbed isn't saying it at all. His nerves are a-quiver. The fitters have got him. He has warned Lorimer to watch his editorial step. If Johnson's pen spouts anything derogatory of Richberg in the Lorimer imprint, Lorimer "must accept full legal responsibility. . . ." Thus spake Zarathustra.

Is a libel suit brewing that will rock the continent? That is the implication. Yet the country is, we surmise, urbanely unmoved. Certainly Editor Lorimer does not act like a chap about to hear the crack of doom. He reasons, perhaps, that he knows his job; that he has been editing his magazine through the storms and shine of almost 40 years; that week by week he has spread his intangible wares, always accepting full legal responsibility for all the millions of verbs, nouns, adverbs and adjectives flung out in endless miles of fact and fiction. He could not evade that responsibility if he would.

Mr. Richberg's threatening finger fails to excite. Gen. Johnson's wisecracks pall. Let's try an eggno.

## MEETING CRITICISM IN THE RIGHT WAY.

The Federal Government has announced that it will publish an official manual of the executive orders and regulations which have been issued in such great numbers in Washington in recent months. This is meeting sound criticism in the proper way. When members of the Supreme Court and others expressed concern about the difficulty of knowing the present sense of administrative rules, they were calling attention to a truly serious situation. With no central agency for compiling these orders, departmental officials have frequently been at a loss as to the applicable rule at a given time.

Inasmuch as the compilation of a manual of this sort is a considerable undertaking, it is to be hoped that every effort will be made to render the manual serviceable to those who must use it. As Erwin N. Griswold of the Law School of Harvard University, whose article on this subject we noted a few days ago, pointed out, such a manual of executive law can enjoy fullest usefulness only if its contents are kept up to date with frequent additions and periodic indexing of all the material.

## FRATERNITIES ON TRIAL.

Persons who keep an eye on activities and trends at the colleges and universities are well aware that the fraternity system is going through a most trying period. From every direction come reports of mergers and the closing of chapter houses, to say nothing of defaults on bonds sold to build houses. If the present difficulties do not soon abate, it is doubtful whether fraternities as places of residence will long continue on many campuses, observers say. These economic troubles of fraternities are supplemented, moreover, by the growing conviction on the part of many educational administrators that Greek letter organizations are not functioning to the best interests of collegiate education. Within the past few months, the news columns have called attention again and again to college presidents who have ordered the fraternities at their institutions to show cause why they should not be disbanded.

If a disinterested observation is in order, it may be suggested that experience has shown that the fraternity system is neither all bad nor all good. If at its worst it has been a hindrance to higher learning, it has, at its best, been a decided complement. Thanks to fraternities, many large state universities, particularly those of the Middle West, have had in effect for many years a counterpart of the house plan which leading Eastern universities are only now putting in operation. Men and women who worked out their first problems of self-government at fraternity and sorority chapter meetings are legion.

In discussing the fraternity situation at the recent twenty-sixth annual meeting of the National Interfraternity Council in New York, Dr. Dixon Ryan Fox, new president of Union College, where the first social college fraternity was founded 109 years ago, remarked: "Fraternities have high potentialities of excellence if and the college work together. The fruitful course is clearly to mark these possible excellencies and encourage them." President Fox's words are well spoken. If college fraternities can use their present period of many troubles as a refining period to that end, they will not only survive, but find themselves stronger both socially and educationally than in the past.

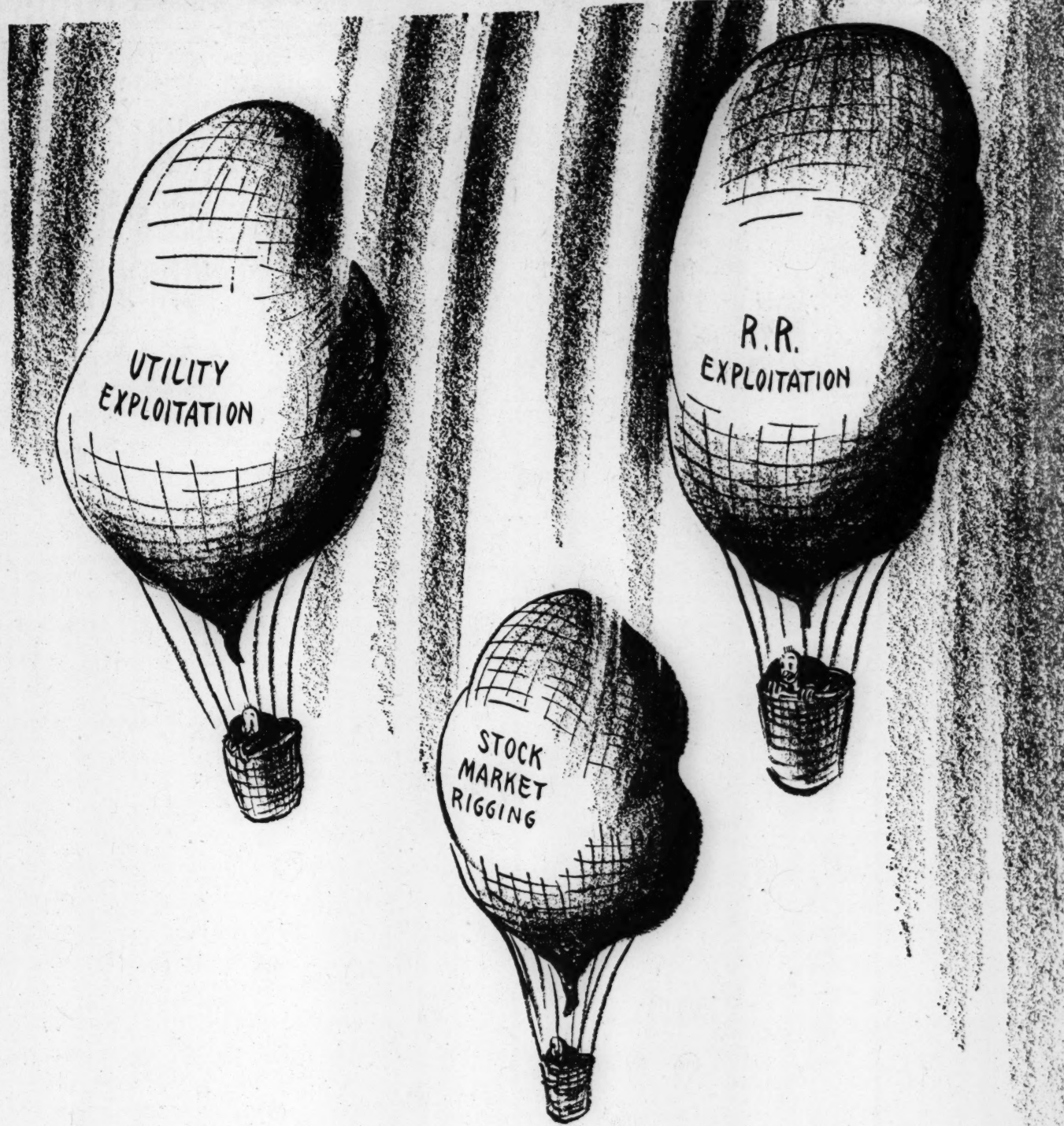
## AN EDITOR IS BORNE OUT.

For an editor to turn out a fiery editorial and, while his typewriter is still smoking, to have his convictions ratified is, one would say, a satisfying intellectual experience. Henry Goddard Leach of the Forum is the editor we have in mind.

Mr. Leach wrote a stirring editorial entitled "The Revolt Against Crime" for the January issue of the Forum, in which he mentioned the influence of "demoralizing motion pictures." An hour later, while strolling in Central Park, New York City, he met crime in the person of two thugs. He is now able glowingly to record that, in their technique and their threat to "pump him full of lead," they followed faithfully the behavior of the gangsters of the screen. His editorial stood as written.

Mr. Leach is entitled to gloat. In fact, he is entitled to a couple of ghosts. For he paid for his mental satisfaction with one watch, one purse and two black eyes. That's pretty expensive, even for having one's convictions borne out.

With a fifth of the population depending, in whole or part, on the Federal Treasury, the world is learning at last "how the other half lives."



GOOD-BY HEAVEN!

## Wanted: 5,000,000 New Homes

What this country needs is a five or six-room \$2500 house that can be bought, with lot, for \$25 a month, says writer, urging new liberal party to put over such a plan; assails administration for timidity on housing, while 5,000,000 families need homes; asserts his proposal would benefit people, relieve congestion and revive business.

A Letter by Mark Granite in the Nation.

WHAT this country needs is a good \$25 house—and a United Liberal party to see that the country gets it. Five million families need new, modern, well-built, separate homes on good-sized lots that can be purchased for \$25 a month, covering interest, taxes, insurance, upkeep and payment on principal—the house (of five or six rooms and bath) to cost not more than \$2000, the land not more than \$500.

Ten million fathers and mothers need to be turned into home-owners instead of rent-payers, need to have a home of their own to show at the end of 15 of the productive years of their lives, instead of a bunch of rent receipts and the threat of a homeless old age. Twenty million people need to be taken out of city slums and out of country shacks (and also out of high-rent apartments and houses, built for profit, that they cannot afford to live in—a lot of us are in that fix!) and given a chance to have the security and independence and happiness that only a home of one's own can give.

Who is going to give us this? The Republican party? The Republican party is not dead. It is worse than dead; it is deaf, blind and useless, a hindrance and not a help to the people who need help most.

The Democratic party? The well-meaning, ineffectual Mr. Ickes make a few feeble gestures toward building non-profit individual homes. The conservative, profit-worshipping Mr. Moffett sets up a howl. Real estate and building interests, obstructionist labor leaders, the building-material profiteers and the real estate bankers bring pressure to bear on the President not to disturb high prices, high profits, high rents, high interest rates, inflated mortgages and the rent-slavery of the people, by permitting or encouraging the building of good low-priced, non-profit homes.

And Mr. Roosevelt has to yield to that pressure because the party back of him is partially made up of conservatives and special interests. If he alienates them, he would lose his political power. The result is the abortive thing the Democrats call a housing program. When the Democratic party is driven straight up against the question of turning liberal and really helping to bring about a different and better distribution of things, it shies and runs away, for it is at heart a conservative donkey.

Ever since it came into power, it has been flinching with housing. It tackled the problem timidly, hesitantly and wrong end first. Slum clearance sounds nice, but it hasn't arrived anywhere and it won't get us anywhere, either as a means of attacking this depression or as a solution of the housing problem. It is unsound in principle.

Beehive living, no matter how good the difficulties of the poor in bringing up their children, is all wrong for the poor and, I suspect, even for the rich—except for those sterile members of society who have no children. Tenement living is likely to turn even the children of the rich into human lap-dogs, and it immeasurably increases the difficulties of the poor in bringing up their children. Every child has a right to his own back yard, to a garden of his own tending, to trees and flowers and green grass, to chickens and a dog, to a home! Sentimental? Yes, but society is founded

## Lawyers and Shysters

From the Pittsburgh Press.

CONSCIENTIOUS lawyers will applaud the Justice Department's drive against shysters who connive with criminals, share in the loot and advise clients how to evade arrest and punishment.

America's legal fraternity today does not enjoy the good reputation that once gave it undisputed civic leadership. Many bar associations have been notoriously lax in ethical standards, because the majority of decent lawyers have been too busy or too timid to prevent shysters from prostituting the profession.

Typical of the inability of lawyers to keep their own house in order is the situation which has developed in Missouri. There the State bar leaders talked for years about the need of a purge in the profession, but nothing was done until the State Supreme Court moved in with a big broom.

Part of the blame rests with Judges and prosecutors who have shut their eyes to the malpractices of fellow lawyers, and have been loath to treat lawyer criminals like other criminals.

The term "shyster" is applied too exclusively to attorneys engaged in defending with improper methods persons accused of the lower crimes. The term should include all lawyer criminals, and in this group probably as many engaged in civil and corporation practice as in criminal practice.

Lawyers who concoct financial schemes to rob investors are as unethical as lawyers who shield racketeers, and generally are better paid. Too many of the rewards of the legal profession have gone to corporation lawyers most adept in defeating the purposes of our laws.

## A BETTER BEER LAW FOR MISSOURI

From the Kansas City Times.

LIVELY contest over revision of the State beer law is predicted for the forthcoming session of the Missouri Legislature. Gov. Park, the State Director of Liquor Control and many members of the Legislature are in favor of drastic changes in the law, while the brewers and sellers of beer are said to be lining up in opposition.

Experience has shown that the law is weak and ineffective in vital particulars. It establishes control of 3.2 beer only in a nominal manner. But the product, sold by licensed dealers often of much higher content. The tax paid is entirely too low, only 31 cents a barrel, with a license fee of only \$10. Bootlegging of liquor and stronger beer is indirectly and unwittingly encouraged.

Control is left with the pure food and drug division of the State Board of Health, whereas, in accordance with recommendations to be made, it should be given the State Liquor Supervisor. Thus with unified control, with an increase of the tax and license fee and with the tightening up of the State liquor law itself in various particulars, a manifestly better situation could be created.

It is the common good rather than the interests of particular groups that must be served. The Legislature will face a plain duty in material revision of both the beer and liquor laws.

## HIT-AND-RUN DRIVERS.

From the Baltimore Sun.

THE most despicable of all motorists is the hit-and-run driver. He leaves the victim of his accident lying in the highway, not knowing whether the person is alive or dead, not knowing whether life could be saved by prompt attention. No effort should be spared in hunting down such offenders. And when their guilt is proved, the punishment should be so exemplary as to serve as a warning that will deter others.

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By DREW PEASE

During the last hour of the line at the Merry authors spent some time in the headlines to gauge the views of the uninitiated. This year the same attempt. Here are the

WASHINGTON.

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Founder of Extract By the Associated Press. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. John Gormley, 70 years

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# The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY GO ROUND

By DREW PEARSON and ROBERT S. ALLEN

During the last holiday season one of the Merry-Go-Round authors spent some time in the headlines to gauge the spirit and the views of the unemployed. This year the same thing was attempted. Here are the results:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—DONT you have no ticket, buddy? ... That's tough. They'll probably chuck you out of here. There's a bozo at the end of the line an' you gotta show him your ticket. ... Wait a minute, buddy. Stick with me an' Phil, see when we get up there, we'll give you a shove, like this—and bustle you by, see? A fella's gotta have some place to go for a Christmas dinner.

This might have been any line of men waiting for Christmas dinner at any city's transient bureau, except for one thing. Behind the man, brilliantly lighted by searchlights loomed the dome of the Capitol of the United States.

Almost in its shadow an odd assortment of men filed by, some well-dressed enough to take Christmas dinner in Washington's best hotels, some unshaven and dirty. But the typical unkempt, shuffling bum—be of the artist's magazine cover—was not there. Relief has eliminated him.

"All right, buddy, watch your step now."

They shove their new comrade past the inspector. The rest is easy. First, a hand extended with four slices of bread. Then a plate and a cup, then a succession of three "slingers," who dexterously deposit upon his plate a Christmas dinner.

Daily the "load" at the Washington transient bureau is increasing. Each day during the last week nearly two hundred men have signed in. The bureau faces the possibility of an acute overpopulation.

The movement into Washington is not simply a seasonal southerly migration. Many come from Florida, the Carolinas, Virginia.

Phil and Archie settle themselves at table with their new friend. "Thanks for gettin' me in," he says.

"Don't mention it, Gee—when did you wash last?"

"Me?" Two days ago. I just come in from Florida on a reefie."

"The ice compartment of a 'refrigerator' car has housed this man for two days and a night. Avoiding the bean cars, he picked an orange car, knowing it would not be iced."

Handout Mecca.

WASHINGTON has drawn him, because it is the seat of benevolence, the source of largesse. One reason for the recent influx is that Congress is about to convene. Word has been passed around that a bonus, set for Jan. 10, will bring not only the bonus for veterans, but also social insurance legislation.

Transient bureau and FERA authorities ascribe the organization of the march to Communists. They are frankly worried about it, are taking steps to head it off.

Veterans are being shipped out of town by the train load to camps in Florida and New Mexico. Non-veteran transients are being urged to go to FERA camps, such as Fort Davis in Virginia. "Keep warm with Uncle Sam" is a slogan. They are offered food, shelter, vocational training and a cash allowance of from \$1 to \$3 weekly.

Communist feeling among the men is isolated and sporadic. Two men who have finished their dinner, yield their places to others, and join a group at the stove near the door. The talk is of Communism.

"Don't believe it, buddy. The reds would sell out just like the capitalists once they got their hands on the dough."

"You heard what that red done here last week? He wants to make a big stink about the grub here. So what does he do? He takes some poison, then eats a meal here, an' o' course he has to go to the hospital. So he gets in the papers sayin' the grub ain't fit to eat. There's a red for you."

Numbers Worrisome.

IT IS not their political beliefs, but the increasing numbers of men waiting for Christmas dinner that worries FERA officials. Despite two years of the New Deal, despite a definite pickup in prosperity, the line of men in the bread line continues. They are not derelicts. They are not unemployed. And yet this Christmas the line was longer than last.

There are two definite reasons for this:

Boys who have served their year in CCC camps are being sent home. If conditions at home are not improved, they prefer to stay away. The life of a transient, moving from one city to another, offers the lure of variety and the chance of finding a job.

Also, the standards of care in transient bureaus are attractively high.

"Sure, they treat you right, here. Give you sheets on the bed—two sheets, three meals a day, and classes in Spanish, if you like that sort of thing."

It is not an unconditioned handout, however. Unless a man can get on the sick list, he must do four hours a day in the wood yard. Still, it is a better life than he would have at home.

In the transient wood-yard squad there is a college graduate. In the "pest squad," which does exterminating work for needy persons, is another who is himself on relief.

Louisiana is popular with transients. Florida is unpopular. Deserters from Florida relief camps assert they are put in a chain gang. There are few or no Jews among transients. Southern Railway "busts" have a reputation for relentless efficiency. Pennsylvania Railroad and B. & O. "busts" are more lenient.

In spite of the careful checking system, occasionally a man will be seen sitting down to a second plate of beans in a new quarter of the transient dining room. He has slipped into the line again.

Transients say that mission food is better, but they don't like the preaching that goes with it. The rails are preferred by those who are in the bread line. The highways by those who like to stay clean. There is no slouching in the transient dining room. Every man removes his hat before sitting at table. When a camera man takes a "shot" of the men at Christmas dinner, some duck, conceal their faces. There is a tacit comradeship among them all. If a man succeeds in "bumming" a cigarette, there is little likelihood he will smoke it all. A buddy will ask for the butt. And he again will share the butt with still another.

Finishing his Christmas dinner, one lean customer walks up to the counter where the sign reads, "Return dishes here."

"Good dinner," he remarks, "but show me a job mister, and you can take all the relief kitchens and flop houses and dump 'em in the ocean."

Founders of Extract Firm Dies.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 26.—John Gormley, 70 years old, one of the founders of McLaughlin, Gormley, King Co., extract and drug manufacturers, died at his home yesterday.

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## KING'S RADIO MESSAGE TO BRITISH EMPIRE

He Asks That Subjects Meet Their Problems "In Spirit of One Family."

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—King George broadcast a Christmas message yesterday to all parts of the British Empire. The King said:

"On this Christmas day I send all my people everywhere my Christmas greeting."

"The day, with its hallowed memories, is the festival of a family. I would like to think that you who are listening to me now, in whatever part of the world you may be, and all the peoples of this realm and empire, are bound to me and to one another, by the spirit of one great family."

"My desire and hope is that the same spirit may become ever stronger in its hold and wider in its range."

"The world is still restless and troubled. The clouds are lifting, but we have still our own anxieties to meet. I am convinced that if we meet them in the spirit of one family we shall overcome them, for then private and party interests will be controlled by care for the whole community."

"I send special greetings to the peoples of my dominions overseas. Through their peoples the family has become a fellowship of free nations and they have carried into their own homes memories and traditions of the mother country. If my voice reaches any of the peoples of India, let it bring assurance of my constant care for them and desire that they, too, may ever more fully realize and value their own place in the unity of the one family."

"May I add very simply and sincerely that if I may be regarded as, in some true sense, head of this great and widespread family, sharing its life and sustained by its affection, this will be full reward for the long and sometimes anxious labors of my reign of well-nigh 25 years. As I sit in my own home, I am thinking of the great multitudes listening to my voice, whether in British homes or in far-off regions of the world."

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The bride will be given in marriage by her father. She will be attended by her sister, Miss Katherine Willard Hay, as maid of honor, and by Miss Mary Clements and Miss Marie Marcano as bridesmaids. Edward Harnett Christie will be best man for his cousin, and James Lanius Hay, brother of the bride; Denny Nelson and his brother, Maurice Nelson, Perry Pasmore and Goodbar Barton will be ushers. Ralph Hay, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hay, and cousin of the bride, will be ring bearer.

The bride will wear a gown of white satin made with a high shirred neckline at the front and back. There will be long sleeves of the satin and the skirt flaring from a high fitted waistline will fall into a train. Her white tulle veil will be arranged with a cap of the tulle trimmed with orange blossoms. She will carry a Colonial bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor will be in deep blue velvet, and will carry red roses. The bridesmaids will wear wine-colored velvet and their flowers are to be yellow roses. The gowns are fashioned alike with high necklines at the front and low V necklines at the back, outlined with velvet ruffles. The sleeves are puffed to the elbow with long tight cuffs. The close-fitting skirts end in short trains.

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## Texas Governor-Elect at White House



JAMES V. ALLRED AND WIFE. As they called on President Roosevelt in Washington.

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Christmas greens, a lighted tree and poinsettias decorated the living room where the hosts and hostesses received. The reception table in the dining room was decorated with frosted Christmas trees, garlanded together by tiny silver bells, their ribbons pulled by tiny Santa Claus standing behind them. Bright red cellophane stars on top of the trees held cards bearing the names of Miss Lasar and Mr. Hurd.

Miss Lasar is a graduate of Mary Institute and Sweetbrier College in Virginia and has traveled extensively. Her grandfather, the late Mr. Mechin, was prominent in foreign organizations during the World War, and was president of the French Society.

The romance began six months ago when Mr. Hurd came to St. Louis from Chicago with a letter of introduction to Miss Katherine James from her former roommate at Sweetbrier. Miss James, in turn, introduced him to Miss Lasar. Mr. Hurd is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis R. Hurd of Chicago, who came to St. Louis for the party and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lasar.

Miss Lasar is a graduate of Cornell University and is a member of Kappa Alpha. His mother was Miss Frances Crabb, a former St. Louisian who made her debut here.

Besides the seasonal decorations of holly wreaths and mistletoe, calla lilies and bouvardia were used throughout the first floor of the Smith home. Mrs. Smith and her daughter received 250 of their friends in the living room.

The debutante was in a gown of black velvet, fashioned on close-fitting lines with butterfly sleeves lined with silver lame turned back over the shoulder. She wore a corsage of orchids and silver slippers.

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## REINHARDT'S 'DREAM' SCENICALLY BRILLIANT

Spectacular Production of Shakespeare Fantasy at Municipal Auditorium.

A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM, the Shakespeare fantasy, with music by Mendelssohn, produced under the direction of Max Reinhardt. Presented by Meyer W. Weisgal at the Municipal Auditorium Opera House with the following cast:

Theseus.....David Lawrence  
Hippolyta.....Ingeborg Tullisch  
Philstrate.....Valerio Gantner  
Egeus.....Richard Stark  
Lysander.....Arthur Peterson  
Demetrius.....Helen Lewis  
Hermia.....Marion Sullivan  
Quince.....Boyd Irwin  
Bottom.....Jack Harting  
Snug.....Scott Matraw  
Shoof.....Frank Sully  
Starveling.....Ois Harrigan  
Oberon.....Leif Erickson  
Titania.....Hanna Moore  
Puck.....George Breakston  
First Fairy.....Nana Guller  
Premiere Dancer.....Robert Bell  
Soprano Soloist.....Helen McWilliams

By COLVIN McPHERSON.

"Midsummer Night's Dream," Max Reinhardt's production of the Shakespeare comedy which opened last night at the Municipal Auditorium for a 16-performance run, St. Louisans have the opportunity of seeing a piece rarely played except in May festivals at finishing schools, and along with it, a magnificent example of realistic stage setting.

The Opera House stage may make estimates of future attractions on the basis of Reinhardt. The only way to compare "A Midsummer Night's Dream" now will be to go back some years to Reinhardt himself in "The Miracle." The new show is not the spectacle "The Miracle" was but the thrill at mere scenic atmosphere is still there.

The set breaks into view as if a June night from Shaw's Garden had been put away in cold storage and was now being brought out for the holiday season. With drafts of chill air from the cavernous depths of the unfinished arena back of the stage, the illusion is all the more advanced.

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## DIORNE QUINTUPLETS RECEIVE 100 PRESENTS ON CHRISTMAS

After Usual Milk and Cereal and Noon Airing They Are Allowed to Play With Battles.

By the Associated Press.

CALLANDER, Ontario, Dec. 26.—The DiORNE quintuplets received more than 100 presents yesterday. They were fed their usual milk and cereal, had an airing at noon and in the afternoon were allowed to play with new pink rattles.

Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ovidia DiORNE, and their five brothers and sisters, came to the hospital home in the afternoon and spent two hours opening gifts from many places.

Among Christmas greetings was one from Mrs. Mary Ferguson McIntyre of Dalhousie Lake, Ontario, who is 101 years old. The five infant girls will be seven months old Dec. 28.

Greetings From President.

By the Associated Press.

WARM SPRINGS, Ga., Dec. 26.—Patients of the Warm Springs Foundation received a Christmas telegram from President Roosevelt. Addressed to the patients in care of Arthur E. Carpenter, resident trustee of the foundation, the message said: "Merry, Merry Christmas to all."

clowns and Bottom a perfect pet of an ass.

George Breakston, not unlike an oversize grasshopper with a Hollywood education, plays his part with abandon, mischief and not to be done out of the illness that is his share usually in the movies, appeared last night in spite of an actual run-in with the weather, according to reports from back stage.

First night hitches and a somewhat faulty finish do not obscure the fact that Reinhardt can bring summer back to the stage in winter, that he understands Shakespeare comedy and that he has something on the ball, scenically, that makes his imitators forgotten men.

CHURCH NOTICES

Christian Science

The Public is Invited to Attend Services and Visit Reading Rooms

SUNDAY SERVICES AT ALL CHURCHES, 11 A. M. EXCEPT

THIRD CHURCH, 10:45 A. M. and FOURTH CHURCH, 10:30 A. M.

Sunday Eve. Services: 8th & 9th Churches, 8 P. M.; 1st, 4th & 7th, 7 P. M.

Sunday School in All Churches for Pupils Under Twenty Years of Age.

RADIOCAST Sunday Morning Service—KMOX, 1050 Kilocytes—10:30 A. M.

Following Churches of Christ, Scientist, Are All Branches of The Mother Church

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FIRST—Kilgobbinway & Westminster 2009 Denmar: 9:30 Wed to 7:30 Sun 2:30-8:30

SECOND—224 Washington Blvd. Church Editor: Wed 7:30 p.m.; Sun 10-11 a.m.

THIRD—3024 Russell Blvd. In Church Editor: Open 12 to 4 daily

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## 39,000 PERSONS SEE HIGH GLEE CAPTURE \$5000 HANDICAP RACE

### Twenty Grand to Compete in \$2500 Race, Saturday

ARCADIA, Cal., Dec. 26. — The heretofore lucky Baldwin appeared today to have been handed down to horse racing in Southern California.

For a small corner of the once brook acres of Rancho Santa Anita, where Elias J. Baldwin successfully raised and raced thoroughbreds more than 25 years ago, the turf sport returned yesterday in all its glory.

Thirty-nine thousand persons wildly heralded the revival of the sport with the victory of High Glee, C. V. Whitney's speedy filly in the \$5000 Christmas Stakes. They put \$259,096 through the mutual machines for the eight races.

High Glee won a stirring stretch run, leading Chitney, California owned and bred, past the finish by a length and a half after trailing in second place almost from the gate. Rikulus, another California thoroughbred, was third, and other length and a half behind the time of 1:37 was fast for the mile.

Time Supply, burdened with weight of 126 pounds and an 8 to 5 favorite, finished fifth, a head back of Top Row. Head Play, trailing desperately to overcome a year of inactivity, finished last in the field of 12 after his antics at the barrier had held up the race several minutes.

Chitney was first away and went into the first turn a length ahead with High Glee second, and Top Row third. Rikulus last away from the gate, came up fast and made his bid from the outside on the back stretch, pulling into third behind Chitney and High Glee as they hit the turn. Chitney was still a length to the good here, but High Glee, under Jockey Coucel's urging, closed up the gap promptly and went into the lead by a neck into the stretch. This she lengthened to the finish.

High Glee paid \$14.80 to win, \$6.60 to place, and \$4.40 to show. Chitney was worth \$39 on \$2 parimutuel tickets to place and \$13.40 to show, while Rikulus paid \$4.60 to show.

The mutual handle for this race was \$53,000.

### Chuck Klein Is Bowling Way Out Of 1934 Slump

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 25. — Chuck Klein is bowling his way out of the physical disability on which he blames his mediocre showing with the Chicago Cubs last season.

Knotted muscles in Klein's right leg, developing in midsummer, took away the slugger's home run punch, curtailed his speed in the outfield and worried him so much his batting fell far below the standard he previously maintained.

Jim (Hump) Pierce of Indianapolis, a widely known baseball trainer, has been working on Klein's leg and has ordered the player to get a lot of exercise. One of the most beneficial exercises, Pierce said, is bowling.

Klein has been bowling in a league here for several weeks and has been knocking the maples over at close to a 200 average. The knotted muscles are loosening, and Pierce believes the slugger will be in tiptop condition by the time the call for spring training is sounded.

In 1933 Klein, as a member of the Philadelphia Nationals, led the league in batting, was the home run king, made the most hits and led in total bases. He was sold between seasons to the Cubs.

Klein started out like a whirlwind for Chicago last spring, but slumped after his leg went bad. He injured it while rounding first base, and throughout the year, he said, he could not take a full swing at the ball, the leg giving way as he turned. He batted barely over .300 for 1934.

**Hi-Pointers to Play Harmony.** The Hi-Point quintet will play the Harmony DeMolay basketball team at the Columbia Recreation Center gymnasium, at Big Bend and Lockwood boulevards, Webster Groves, Thursday night.

**One Way to Get Back.** DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 25. — Jack Hurley, former manager of Billy Petrolle, is now feeding and rooming about 40 young boxers in the hope of developing another "Fargo Express."

## POWERS SELECTIONS

At Miami.

- 1—Gifted Lady.
- 2—Levi Cook.
- 3—Eager Belle.
- 4—Marching Home.

At San Antonio.

- 1—Lord Tournament.
- 2—Patheby.
- 3—Burning Feet.
- 4—Longus.

At Los Angeles.

- 1—Black Board.
- 2—Sun Archer.
- 3—Black Mammy.

At New Orleans.

- 1—Marabou.
- 2—Just High.
- 3—Northern Sir.

## Today's Racing Scratches, Morning Odds and Jockeys

At Miami.

WEATHER CLEAR; TRACK FAST.

FIRST RACE—Two-year-olds, six furlongs.

- 100 Merry Bud—G. Watson.
- 112 Double Ten—Hendricks.
- 117 Gifted Lady—Horn.
- 109 Contra—Haines.
- 109 Greenstone—Stout.
- 105 Broken Bow—Horn.
- 107 Airline—Lynch.
- 108 Goldfish—Scratched.
- 108 Scotch Queen—C. W. Smith.
- 112 Conny—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Gilbert.
- 116 Masked Revue—Landolt.
- 108 Hasting—Scratched.
- 108 Sassafras—Scratched.
- 111 Beaver Dam—Scratched.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Algonquin—Scratched.

SECOND RACE—Maidens, one mile.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

THIRD RACE—Three-year-olds, one and one-half miles.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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FIFTH RACE—Handicap, all ages, six furlongs.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
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- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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SIXTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one and one-half miles.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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SEVENTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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EIGHTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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NINTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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TENTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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ELEVENTH RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Twelfth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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Thirteenth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Fourteenth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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Fifteenth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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Sixteenth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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Seventeenth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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Eighteenth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
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- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Nineteenth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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Twentieth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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Twenty-first RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
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- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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Twenty-second RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Twenty-third RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
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Twenty-fourth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Twenty-fifth RACE—Three-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth.

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
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## COWLEY WILL BE IN EAGLE LINEUP AGAINST LIONS

The St. Louis Eagles' youthful scoring line of Carl Voss, center; Syd Howe, right wing; and agit Brydson, right wing, will supplant the local National League's veteran scoring combination in the starting lineup against the Detroit Finngin in the National League hockey match at the Arena tomorrow night, Coach Buck Boucher announced.

Since the opening contest, the three youngsters have played smart hockey and have been largely responsible for the Eagles' three victories and two ties.

Boucher also plans to revamp his previous starting line by using Earl Roche, a spare, in Jerry Shannon's place at left wing. Roche will team with Joe Lamb, center, and Frank Finnigan, right wing. Later in the game, Shannon will be used with Lamb and Finnigan.

After being on the shelf for two weeks with an injured wrist, Bill "Schoolboy" Cowley, young center, will play against the Red Wings. He will work with Nick Wanlie and Vic Ripley, a pair of veteran wingers.

Archie Wilcox, the new defense man, is being counted on to condition and will pair with Vernon Ayers in one combination, while the starting guards will be Scotty Bowman and Irvin Frew.

Two of the leading Detroit players, Johnny Sorrell, forward, and Doug Young, defense man, who were unable to play in the last Detroit-St. Louis match, will be available for duty.

Since the last Detroit game, which the Eagles lost 4-1, the team has had the Montreal Canadiens, 1-1, and Toronto Maple Leafs, 1-1, defeated the New York Americans, 2 to 1, and bowed to the Canadiens, 2 to 1.

Members of the Eagles will be introduced from the stage at the 9 o'clock show tonight at the Ambassador Theater.

Black Hawks Beat Detroit. NEW YORK, Dec. 26. — If anyone should ask Wally Kilrea about today, he probably would hear that there wasn't anything particularly merry about Christmas. Kilrea, just recalled from the Detroit Olympics to the parent team, the Red Wings of the National Hockey League, committed a costly misplay last night and as a result his team lost a 2 to 1 decision to Chicago's Black Hawks.

Second race, purse \$500, claiming, all ages, six furlongs (chute).

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
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- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Third race, purse \$500, claiming, all ages, six furlongs (chute).

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Fourth race, purse \$500, claiming, all ages, six furlongs (chute).

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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Fifth race, purse \$500, claiming, all ages, six furlongs (chute).

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
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Sixth race, purse \$500, claiming, all ages, six furlongs (chute).

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Seventh race, purse \$500, claiming, all ages, six furlongs (chute).

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
- 108 Idle Along—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.
- 108 Prettie—Scratched.

Eighth race, purse \$500, claiming, all ages, six furlongs (chute).

- 109 Pharo—Scratched.
- 108 Beffing—Scratched.
- 118 Up in Arms—Gilbert.
- 108 Brash Past—Smith.
- 118 Protogist—Wright.
- 112 Rich Paul—Scratched.
- 108 Nalor—Scratched.
- 111 Abner—Scratched.
- 109 Triangular—No boy.
- 114 Conny—Scratched.
- 114 Nalor—Scratched.
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fornia, Good Goods, World  
Shining Jewel. Special  
Young Native will re-  
turn and be prepared  
to ride Derby.

# TRES

APRESS  
OLIVE & GRAND  
TOMORROW

PERFECT FEAST  
VE. LAUGHTER  
VINE MUSIC!

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IN THE NIGHT  
IF LOVE

with Lyle  
NATI TALENT  
MONA BARRIE

AND GRAND HIT  
Comedy Smash of  
Season! Successor  
READY FOR A DAY.

CAROLE  
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AY—HELEN HAYES  
EVERY WOMAN KNOWS  
DAILY BREAD  
GAY CARTOON REVUE

rental vacancies see  
st-Dispatch Want Pages.

APHEUM  
Hepburn  
LITTLE MINSTER  
A PAUL DEAN Comedy

LAY INDEX

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Bike Rider," Lee Tracy in  
"YOU BELONG TO ME."

15th and Montgomery.  
Claudette Colbert, Warren  
"CLEOPATRA," and "The Thrill  
of a Night Alarm."

WAY "NOW AND FOREVER"  
with Shirley Temple, and  
"One Exciting Adventure."

2nd Until 7:30.  
Claudette Colbert, War-  
ren, Lee Tracy in "CLEOPATRA," Guy Kibbee in  
"TED HERBERT."

M. Ann Harding in "THE  
MOUNTAIN," Lee Tracy in  
"LEMON DROP KID."

Madeline Carroll, Franchot  
Tone in "The World Moves  
On," 2 Comedies & Cartoons.

Shirley Temple, "Now and  
Forever," "Age of Inno-  
cence," John Boles.

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with Ring Crosby, "DUDE  
RANCHER" with George  
also Popeye.

ss 10c & 20c. Barbara Stan-  
wick, Lyle Talbot, "A LOSE  
LADY," Frankie Darro,  
"ETER GLORIA," Selected Shorts.

ing "No Greater Glory," and  
Stuart Erwin in "Rach-  
Balt," Barcala Prices.

Loretta Young in "CARA-  
VAN," Also "WEDNES-  
DAY'S CHILD."

(Reduced Prices Till 7:30. Ring  
Crosby, "She Loves Me Not,"  
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## WAR DEPARTMENT NEGLECT OF U. S. INTEREST CHARGED

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collected the total sum of more  
than \$4,500,000 and paid out in ex-  
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Carolina, of the committee, said 75  
percent of the gross receipts of a  
warehouse that paid no taxes was  
too much for overhead and oper-  
ating expenses.

the report added, "our Gov-  
ernment has virtually donated, free  
of charge whatsoever, the use of  
more than \$11,000,000 of property  
to certain favored individuals who  
constitute officers and controlling  
influences of the Mercor Corpora-  
tion."

Mercor was controlled by the  
Jarka Corporation, a New York  
stevedoring concern. It was sold  
to H. R. Hamlin in 1929 for \$151,  
000, although title to the stock has  
remained in the Jarka name.

## ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH WARNING TO LUMBER INDUSTRY Code Authority Advises Against "Destructive Price-Cutting."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26. — The  
Lumber Code Authority today  
warned the industry against "de-  
structive price-cutting" as a result  
of the suspension by NRA of price-  
fixing provisions of the code.

In a statement addressed to di-  
vision and subdivision officials of  
the authority, David T. Mason, ex-  
ecutive officer of the organization,  
called attention to the fact that "or-  
ders establishing prices . . . have  
been suspended (not canceled)."

Mason said "the new order calls  
specific attention to the fact that  
under Article VIII production con-  
trol is still in full force and effect.  
This fact is emphasized by the  
board in its order to indicate that  
it expects our industries to use this  
article effectively for stabilization  
now that prices are no longer ef-  
fective."

## Movie Actress a Bride



THE former MISS CATHERINE DALE OWEN is pictured with  
her new husband, MILTON CAVES JR. They were married at  
the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waller Owen in New  
York.

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## WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1934

the part of waterway interests to  
the proposal made by Railway Co-  
ordinator Joseph Eastman for  
bringing the waterways under regu-  
lation of the Interstate Commerce  
Commission, the committee sug-  
gests a separate commission "to  
regulate water rates and co-operate  
with the I. C. C. in setting joint  
rail and water rates." The "next  
logical step," the committee adds,  
might be the merging of this com-  
mission with the I. C. C.

"Navigation on the Mississippi it-  
self," the committee reports, "has  
been declining since 1926. In view  
of the fact that the Federal Gov-  
ernment has spent or authorized  
the spending of about \$190,000,000  
for improving the channel between  
New Orleans and Cairo an inquiry  
as to whether or not shippers  
should bear a portion of the cost  
is highly desirable."

Plan for the Ozarks.

The committee points to certain  
regions where immediate rehabili-  
tation is imperative. One of these is  
the Ozark highland.

"The Federal Government and the  
States of Missouri and Arkansas  
should participate co-operatively in  
perfecting and carrying out a bal-  
anced and integrated plan for the  
Ozark highland," says the commit-  
tee. The committee suggests that  
"major objectives" of the plan  
should include the following:  
"Economic and social reconstruc-  
tion; provision of much needed  
roads; withdrawal from tillage of  
a great body of stony and gravelly  
loam soils of submarginal character  
agriculturally that comprise the  
poorest class of farms in Missouri  
and apparently also in Arkansas;  
farms that in thousands of cases  
seem doomed under existing condi-  
tions to abandonment by their pov-  
erty-stricken owners; prevention of  
further deterioration of large areas  
of rough, hilly, or mountainous  
land now subject to more or less  
serious erosion; amelioration of  
floods and reduction of channel  
siltage in the lowermost Missouri  
and the lower Mississippi Rivers  
through the development of an ef-  
fective forest cover over much of  
the highland in the upper drainage  
areas of various tributaries;  
amelioration of floods, regulation  
of stream flow and development of  
power through storage water, to-  
gether with the development of  
such facilities for recreation and  
the conservation of wild life as may  
be combined advantageously with  
the operation of the reservoirs for  
other purposes; stimulation of im-  
portant production on low-grade land  
near great lumber markets; promo-  
tion of the recreational use of the  
Highland, an area near great popu-  
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Important potential sources of  
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The chairman of the Mississippi  
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In Southern Illinois.

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"Southern Illinois presents a  
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tricity is cheap. Read what they do for only a penny's  
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	<b>ELECTRIC IRON</b> 1 hour for 1¼c
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# TODAY'S NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

SPECIAL ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.

## Further Selling of Utilities an Influence in Trade—A Few Industrial Specialties Advance.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Wall street returned to work from the Christmas holiday in fair spirits, but reported that Santa Claus did not leave any big bullish dividends in its stocking.

Further selling in utilities kept the stock list somewhat unsettled in trading up to early afternoon, although the rest of the list managed to hold up pretty well. A few industrial specialties managed to advance. Bonds maintained a good undertone. Corn and hogs led an irregular advance in commodities. The market was largely steady, however. Consolidated Gas declined more than a point to another new low, and American Telephone declined 2, dipping under 102. Public Service of New Jersey, American Water Works, North American Western Union and American Can lost major fractions to more than a point. Non-ferrous metals perked up a little. U. S. Smelting rose nearly 2 points, and Cerro de Pasco and American Smelting moved up fractionally. Farm implements were also firm, Deere rising a point. General Motors, American Rolling Mill, Bethlehem, Penney and Montgomery Ward were among issues up small fractions. U. S. Steel was about unchanged, and rails were quiet.

**News of the Day.**

Business news over the holiday was generally favorable, particularly from the steel industry, which is maintaining the best rate of operations for the normally quiet holiday period in years. The utility outlook continued to worry Wall street, but a gleam of hope was received in news that reports that President Roosevelt at his Wednesday press conference had explained that the administration wanted to be helpful to private utilities, while pursuing its program of making electric power cheaper and more abundant.

**Auto Makers Take Steel.**

Christmas shutdowns in steel operations were limited as pressure for steel accumulated, the "Iron Age" said.

"Ingot output," it added, "has risen another point to 36½ per cent and will probably make further gains before the year end."

With December automobile output estimated at 145,000 cars, exceeding expectations for the year, or production promises to be the largest in five years, according to the "Iron Age."

Recent improvement in business was reflected in the Federal Reserve Board's index of industrial activity for November, which rose to 74 from 73 in October. In November, 1933, the index stood at 72.

The Treasury's December financing resulted in some large shifts of funds. As shown in the weekly condition of statement of operations member Federal Reserve banks. Holdings of Government obligations increased \$376,000,000. Demand deposits dropped \$213,000,000 as payments were made to the Government while Government deposits increased \$572,000,000.

The British pound opened at \$4.94½, up ½ of a cent. French francs were up .004 of a cent at 6.60½ cents.

## EUROPEAN MARKETS CLOSED

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—All European markets closed with the exception of Paris Bourse were closed today.

## Power Output Report Delayed.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—The weekly power output report of the Edison Electric Institute has been delayed until tomorrow, because of the Christmas holiday.

## BUSINESS NOTES

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—United States exporters are active today, a share of the total Brazilian trade, according to statistics compiled by the U. S. Customs. Carpet wool imports in trade quantities ended Dec. 22 dropped to 2214 pounds, the smallest for any week since 1929.

## COAL STOCKS INCREASE

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Industrial stocks of bituminous coal on Nov. 1 stood at \$25,704,000, the Mine Safety and Health Commission reported today. The increase over the 20,230,000 tons in reserve on Oct. 1.

## FOREIGN MARKETS AT A GLANCE

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—Rumors were in strong demand and advanced a half to three-quarters of a point on the bourse today. The London and Berlin markets were closed.

## TURPENTINE, FLAX AND LINSEED

By the Associated Press.

Landed on in one to four barrel lots was quoted at 10.36 per lb. for raw and 10.74 for refined.

## NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Sales of stock on the New York Stock Exchange from Jan. 1 up to and including Monday amounted to 319,078,040 shares, compared with 646,999,560 a year ago and 418,929,767 two years ago.

Following is a complete list of transactions today up to time designated:

Stocks and Sales	Ann. Div.	High	Low	After-Hour	Net
Adams Exp.	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Can.	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Tel. & Tel.	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Water Works	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Electric	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Gas	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Oil	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Sugar	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Tobacco	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
Am. Cotton	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
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Am. Paper	1.00	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4	104 1/4
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## Drowned While Saving Two Boys.

By the Associated Press.

BROWNVILLE, Pa., Dec. 26.—A 17-year-old boy lost his life yesterday afternoon while saving two boys from drowning. Leroy Maple, 17 years old, saw Harold Sords, 12, and James Leech, 13, skating on the pond above a dam. The ice gave way suddenly, Maple dove in. He brought the younger boy safely to shore, then returned and directed the older. As they reached safety, Maple's strength gave out and he disappeared.

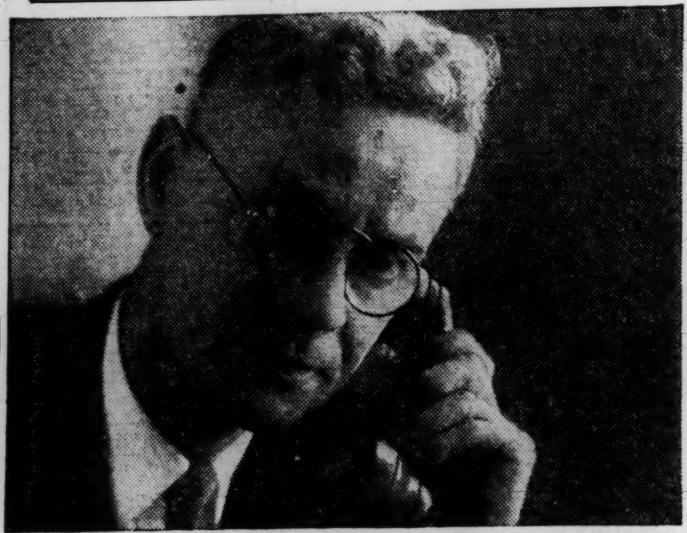
## ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

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| Men's fancy square Mufflers (soiled) at       | 50c    | Boys' zipper suede cloth lumberjacks at       | \$1.55  |
| Boys' 2-knicker cassimere Suits at            | \$4.89 | Boys' button-front suede cloth Lumberjacks at | \$1     |
| Youths' 2-long-pant "Prep" Suits at           | \$7.33 | Boys' all-wool Sleeveless Sweaters at         | 68c     |
| Boys' corduroy Longies in small sizes at      | \$1    | Boys' Sweaters in broken sizes at             | \$1.77  |
| Boys' full-lined Knickers in sizes 6 to 16 at | 94c    | Boys' waterproof Raincoats, sizes 4 to 18, at | \$1.88  |
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Tracked Down by Bloodhounds and Removed to Another County for Safekeeping.

ELLAVILLE, Ga., Dec. 26.—Charlie Dodson, Negro, was held in a Columbus (Ga.) jail today, charged with the killing of Police Chief W. B. Souter with the Chief's revolver.

Sheriff E. C. Rigby said the youth, captured in the swamps near here, had confessed. The Negro, against whom feeling was reported to be running high, is said to be 17 years old. Sheriff Rigby would not say where he had taken the Negro but the Muskogee County jailer at Columbus, about 50 miles from here, said the Negro was in his jail.

The Negro was armed with Chief Souter's revolver when he was captured, Sheriff Rigby said, but he made no attempt to resist arrest. Souter had arrested Dodson Christmas eve on a charge of theft and he was taking his prisoner to jail. The Negro was reported by officers to have grabbed Souter's pistol and shot him. The Chief died instantly and Dodson fled. Nearly a thousand persons joined in the hunt for Dodson and bloodhounds were put on the trail. The dogs late yesterday led the way to Dodson's hiding place.

Stabbed at Christmas Party. PORTSMOUTH, O., Dec. 26.—A Christmas party at Friendship, six miles east of here, ended in a fatal stabbing. Ed Ballard, 26 years old, father of three children, died almost instantly from two knife wounds in the heart. Sheriff Al Bridwell arrested four men, who had been guests at the party, for questioning.

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Lucile Hann, Springfield, Ill., 4348 Page.  
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Jack M. Holland, 3450 Louisiana.  
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Mildred Collins, 3222 S. Louis County.  
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Berthold Bendix, 5841 Nina pl.  
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Theodore H. Thiele, 4515 Lindell.  
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Zula Mulhall, 57, 2739 Shenandoah.  
Ruth Friedman, 25, 1330A Temple.  
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Emily Post

Post-  
RIENDS warned me the  
evening that they are go-  
to have plenty of rice and  
at our wedding. I've al-  
though the bride's family  
thor of both of these if  
no objection to sweeping  
ouse for months to come,  
e no rule?

The bride's family is  
to supply the rice, but  
nothing more.

Emily Post

honor, the two attendants  
walk together. But would  
set some other arrange-  
case, where the ma-  
nion is about 30 and my  
honor is a tall 14-year-old

There is no rule against  
aking single file excepting  
does not make a well bal-  
lure. It would be better  
e second tall young girl  
with your 14-year-old junior

ld. But if this is not  
there is nothing to do  
each walk alone. Sister  
then matron of honor.

rown program is the  
trimming.

the little knickknacks to  
the wardrobe are evening  
sacks and mitts that are  
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ish trimming of a match-  
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# IF YOU ASK My OPINION

By MARTHA CARR

Dear Martha Carr:  
PERHAPS you have a simple so-  
lution for my trouble, which is  
either a superiority or inferior-  
ity complex.

I belong to a certain organiza-  
tion which, besides gymnastic, gives  
dances. I find that, attending these  
dances, a group of people fall into  
that category known as "all right,"  
but not the kind one would choose  
for personal friends. (That's my su-  
periority complex problem.)

These people do little things  
which display their ignorance—ig-  
norance and lack of manners. Yet  
when certain ones do not ask me  
to dance I feel that something is  
wrong with me. I have a fairly  
presentable countenance, a good  
enough figure and can have a nice  
time with some boys, whom I do  
not particularly care for. It is  
those, whom I do want, however,  
who never ask me for dates, al-  
though I am 18 years old and  
should be having some gayety.  
At 16 I went with those who asked,  
but grew tired of their bad lan-  
guage, crudity, etc.

Is it necessary to drop these ac-  
quaintances, entirely and wait un-  
til I am in a position to meet those  
I want to meet? Or would it be  
best to keep up these contacts so  
that I may not be entirely out of  
the activities for young people?

I have been a tomboy most of  
my life and still get along with  
girls perfectly. When I play games  
I play hard, like a boy. Shall I  
change to the feminine type, using  
makeup (hardly ever do) and be  
the type boys like so well?

If you have some reducing exer-  
cises will you please tell me of  
them? LONELY.

Naturalness is all very well, if it  
never merges into rudeness and  
crudeness. It depends somewhat  
upon your idea of "naturalness"  
and sincerity. Neither one need  
mean over-frankness and unadorned  
opinion. Nor is it well, to slur the  
methods which help to make a girl  
more attractive—unless it is gro-  
tesque because of the handling.

One naturally wishes to be with  
those whose interests and breed-  
ing are similar to one's own, and it  
is only natural to gravitate toward  
those who are well-mannered and  
polished, if that happens to be a  
native atmosphere. It is not well  
though, always to judge by the su-  
perficial—unless it happens to be  
indicative of the real person under-  
neath; as these things sometimes  
are. People of the kind you want  
to be with are likely to judge you  
"by the company you keep;" so,  
without being snobbish or assuming  
a foolish hauteur, you should grad-  
ually seek the ones you want, and  
break most of the ties, with whom  
you are not congenial.

I have a folder on "Popularity"  
and one on "Reducing," both of  
which I shall be glad to send you  
if you will mail self-addressed and  
stamped envelope.

My dear Mrs. Carr:

DO you think one of your read-  
ers might have a radio, not be-  
ing used, and would give or  
lend it to a school? Any kind would  
do, just as they could be used in  
teaching. I suggest each child bring \$1 a week  
for the purpose of buying one and  
her answer was, "You don't know  
how much a penny a week would  
mean to some of these children."  
While the school is not far from  
town, the children are badly in need  
of such diversion.

I am giving you my name, that  
of the teacher and the name of the  
school. INCOGNITO.

Dear Mrs. Carr:

COULD you please tell me where  
I could join a Catholic Club as I  
am a very lonely person? I  
just lost my father recently, and it  
seems as if I can't stop worrying.  
I would like to join some kind of a  
club or do some kind of social  
service work. I'm 28 years old, and  
have my own car.

A CONSTANT READER.

Call the Catholic Women's Asso-  
ciation, Chestnut 8369 (Victoria  
Building).

Dear Mrs. Carr:

PERHAPS this will strike you as  
an unusual plea, but I feel you  
will give it your attention.

I have been married seven years,  
have a lovely home, but no chil-  
dren; and am reasonably sure that  
I will never be blessed with children.  
Both to my husband and myself,  
life seems an empty affair, and  
home, without children, just a place  
to hang your hat.

I have inquired at several places,  
but had the feeling that perhaps if  
I did take a child and become ter-  
ribly attached to it, the parent  
would eventually come and take it  
from me. Having had a few great  
heartaches in my life, I'm not  
careless enough to go out and  
borrow one more.

I should like them to be of good  
lineage. I could insert an ad, but  
that would be too commercial. I  
have no mercenary intent.

MRS. J. B.

There are so many Catholic or-  
ganizations here, who ought to  
be able to help you, but of course they  
must all, for the child's sake and  
for its protection, make investiga-  
tions. In securing a little one from  
one of these places, you would be  
much less likely ever to have the  
parents claim them, because there  
are certain papers which they must  
sign, which requires them legally  
to relinquish their claim.  
The St. Louis Board of Children's

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## Eggnog Party Recipes for New Year's

Some Appetizing Drinks and  
Delicacies for a Morning  
Gathering.

By Gladys T. Lang

**Eggnog.**  
To every 12-egg yolks, beaten  
light add gradually 12 level table-  
spoons of sugar. Add gradually,  
beating all the while, 12 sherry  
glasses of whiskey and one of rum.  
Whip one quart of cream and stir  
in gradually until smooth. Add a  
dash of nutmeg.

**New Year's Canapes.**  
One small Cream Cheese.  
Two large tablespoons of the tin-  
nest pearl onions.  
One-half teaspoon of Worcester-  
shire sauce.

One tablespoon of finely chopped  
green olives or sour pickles.  
Thin the cheese with a table-  
spoon of cream. Spread mixture  
on toasted crackers and brown un-  
der gas flame. Add chopped bacon  
if desired before browning.

**Oyster Puffs.**  
Cream oysters and place one with  
a little of the sauce in tiny puff  
paste shells. Serve very hot.

**Old Virginia Ham.**  
Have sliced to paper thinness un-  
cooked old Virginia ham. Place on  
rounds of buttered rye bread. Cut,  
forming petals, thin pieces of Swiss  
cheese and arrange on ham, and in  
the center place a dab of mustard.

**Liverwurst Canapes.**  
Mash a cup of liverwurst and mix  
with mayonnaise and a few chopped  
pickles or capers. Spread on strips  
of toast and edge with finely  
chopped chives.

Glaced fruits and nuts.  
Two cups of corn syrup.  
One tablespoon of vinegar.  
One-quarter cup of water.

Boil together until the syrup is  
brittle when tested in cold water.  
Then place the syrup in a pan of  
hot water and begin dipping nuts  
and fruit at once. Remove nuts or  
fruit to a buttered slab, draining  
off as much of the syrup as possi-  
ble.

**Chocolate Chestnuts.**

Wipe preserved chestnuts free  
from syrup. Have ready sweet  
chocolate shaved fine and melted.  
Drop the chestnuts into the choco-  
late, one at a time, and remove with  
a candy dipper to a piece of mar-  
ble. If the chocolate runs off, to  
leave a base, it is too warm and  
should be beaten until cool enough  
to remain on the nuts.

**Frosted Bunch Grapes.**

Select perfect bunches of firm  
white grapes. Slightly beat, but not  
to a froth some egg whites. With  
a spoon carefully cover the grapes  
and before allowing the whites to  
harden, sprinkle generously with  
granulated sugar. Chill thorough-  
ly.

**Small Fruit Cakes in Paper Cases.**

Dark fruit cake.  
One and one-half cups of butter.  
Two cups of dark brown sugar.  
Three and one-half cups of flour.  
One and one-half pounds of rais-  
ins.

One and one-half pounds of cur-  
rants.

One-half pound of citron sliced  
very thin.

Eight eggs, beaten light.

Small tumbler of brandy or  
whisky.

One teaspoon each of cloves and  
allspice and one heaping teaspoon  
of cinnamon. Cream butter, adding  
sugar and cream until light. Beat  
the eggs until frothy and add to  
the butter and sugar. Sift the flour  
and spices over the cut up raisins,  
currants and citron and mix all  
well. Beat into the other mixture  
and add the liquor the last thing,  
stirring in a little at the time. Fill  
small paper cases and bake in a  
slow oven for about 30 minutes. Be-  
fore packing away, sprinkle over  
the top with a little more brandy.

**White Fruit Cake.**

Three-quarters pound of butter.

One pound of sugar.

Twelve eggs.

One scant pound of flour.

One to one and one-half pounds  
of grated cocoanut.

One pound of citron, sliced fine.

One pound of blanched and sliced  
almonds.

One pound of Sultana raisins.

One glassful of whisky or brandy.

A little mace if desired.

Proceed as in the above recipe.

**Mock Champagne Sauce for  
Baked Ham.**

Cook in four tablespoons of hot  
butter, fat, one slice of onion stuck  
with two cloves, one stalk chopped  
celery and a slice of green pepper  
for five minutes. Strain out the  
vegetables and to the liquor add two  
tablespoons browned flour. Cook  
until smooth and then add gradu-  
ally one and a half cups of white  
grape juice and stir until the sauce  
boils. Season to taste with salt,  
paprika and Worcestershire sauce  
and add a few drops of kitchen  
bouquet.

**To Keep Its Strength.**

Coffee should be freshly ground,  
or, if bought in the package, should  
be kept sealed. A glass jar with  
an air-tight cover makes a good  
container.

If any of our readers can help  
him they may send their replies to  
me, care of this newspaper, or to

## Suits With Two Purposes

By

Loren Wulff Thurston

Mrs. Myles D. Thurston, 13 Dromara road, a popular hostess, is  
known for her originality in dress. She was formerly Miss Loren  
Wulff of St. Louis.

DESPITE the fact that the cocktail dress has apparently  
arrived for an indefinite stay in the wardrobe of the  
woman too busy to dress for several occasions in the same  
afternoon to find the use of one or two suits with dual pur-  
poses also indispensable. While the cocktail frock with its at-  
tractive little jacket is good for both formal and informal  
wear, a suit that can be changed a bit or worn with a differ-  
ent type blouse and hat may be used for several occasions.  
This is particularly handy for the woman who has to drive



into town for shopping and who has an engagement afterwards  
for an early informal dinner.

My favorite suit is one of vintage green wool made with  
a hip-length jacket with wide lapels. For shopping, a knitted  
blouse of a neutral color is worn with a dark brown hat sim-  
ply trimmed with a long quill. A contrasting color note is  
added by a yellow flannel ascot scarf. With this suit there is  
a detachable cape of the vintage wool banded with kolinsky  
that changes the appearance of the suit entirely. When the  
cape is worn, the suit is transformed into an informal after-  
noon ensemble. Then an eggshell satin overblouse with a  
cowl neckline and long tight sleeves is worn. A hat less  
tailored complements the cape suit.

The second suit is of brown ribbed angora with a faint  
beige stripe. The loose three-quarter length coat with an  
ascot collar of mole slips easily over a green knitted blouse  
or an orange sweater. A comfortable shallow-crown, brown  
hat with an orange pom pom goes well with such a suit.  
Brown accessories may be worn with both suits.

## Diaries Assist Research Into Sleeping Habit

Physician Finds in Them  
Data Showing Changes  
From the Past.

By  
Logan Clendening, M. D.

DR. DONALD A. LAIRD, who has  
been making such interesting  
studies of sleep which have  
been quoted frequently in this col-  
umn, is eager to obtain information  
concerning the number of hours  
former generations of Americans  
slept as compared to our own day.

He says: "Many clinicians and  
other competent observers have  
called attention to the changed pace  
of life, which they believe may be  
a factor in causing that vague con-  
dition peculiar to civilization and  
which is sometimes called 'Ameri-  
canitis.' Whether or not a wide-  
spread curtailment of the amount  
of sleep exists may throw light on  
one of the possible causes, both  
direct and indirect, of this ob-  
served condition. Life is not in-  
herited by children, and there is  
no dietary method of preventing it  
in fact significantly shorter than  
those of our fathers and grand-  
fathers.

"The diaries which are available  
to the workers in the laboratory  
are, unfortunately, not numerous.  
Hence an appeal to the readers of  
Science to scan any diaries from 25  
to 75 years old which may be in  
their possession, in order that we  
may have an adequate sample of  
records for study.

"The data which a diary reveals,  
and which we should appreciate  
having forwarded to us, are: (1)  
Hour of retiring, (2) hour of rising,  
(3) the date of the original entries,  
(4) residence at the time of the en-  
tries and (5) age of the diarist at  
the time of the entries.

We have secured several diaries  
which record these data intermit-  
tently over a life span; in such in-  
stances we are abstracting a sam-  
ple of hours of retiring and of ris-  
ing in the early twenties, in the  
early forties and again in the early  
sixties of the individual's life. We  
We should esteem the co-operation  
of any readers who would abstract  
such data from diaries they have,  
including the sex and name of the  
diarist with the other data."

If any of our readers can help  
him they may send their replies to  
me, care of this newspaper, or to

## Every Heart Possesses Its King's Highway

No Matter How Rocky It  
Seems, Each Life Has Its  
Bit of Glamour.

By Elsie Robinson

THE day after Christmas. Set-  
ting a littered kitchen—or of-  
fice—to rights. With a Merry  
Christmas Spirit fallen flatterer's  
flounder. And Sally, of the No-  
tions, broadcast-

ing for us all.  
"Don't you," she  
sighs, "ever get  
fed up with peo-  
ple?"  
I know we're  
supposed to love  
everybody—es-  
pecially now.  
But I guess the  
fellow who wrote  
those mottoes  
never had to  
stand behind a  
counter in a  
Christmas rush.

Those d u m b  
Elsie Robinson  
crowds—honest,  
Elsie, what's the use of them?  
Haven't you ever wondered?  
Sure I have! Who hasn't? Just  
as they've doubtless wondered what  
was the use of me! But whenever  
I do wonder something clicks and  
I remember back to a day when  
I stumbled on the answer—  
I'd been tramping since morning  
over rocky Vermont fields. Poor,  
shallow soil, with scant grass and  
stunted trees, crumbled stone  
fences, weatherbeaten wreckage  
that had once been home. What  
a depressing record it was of pov-  
erty, hardship, hopeless drudgery!

How terrible existence must have  
been in a place like that—lacking  
all beauty and excitement. Why  
did anyone endure it? Life, I said  
to myself, stumbling over the rocks,  
was mostly like that. A meaning-  
less monotony. As senseless as this  
tiresome walk I'd chosen for my-  
self. Why did we go on with it?

Just then the trail, which had  
been vaguely mounting, swung out  
upon a height and the country lay  
outspread below. An uninspiring  
scene—the same monotonous miles,  
checkered fields, huddled shacks.  
But one thing I had not noticed be-  
fore. From east to west between  
walled fields there ran the faint  
blur of a narrow lane. It was an  
old passage—far from the main  
highway—with no connection with  
the farms on either side. What  
then could be its purpose? Five  
miles on I found an old farmer who  
told me.

It was, he said, "The King's High-

Child's Books Establish  
a place where  
the school books are put by chil-  
dren. It avoids much searching and  
worry later.

## Austria Issues Stamp Series For Architects

Sales to Be Limited to Com-  
plete Sets—Proceeds to  
Charity.

Austria has again honored pro-  
fessional men with stamps which  
portray architects famous through-  
out the world, with their master-  
pieces. The issue is a charity se-  
ries and consists of 70,000 complete  
sets. Sales will be limited to com-  
plete sets only. This series consists  
of six values.

The values, colors and designs are  
as follows: 12 plus 12gr., gray-  
black, Anton Pilgram who built the  
chancel and organ loft of St. Ste-  
phen's Cathedral; 24 plus 24gr.,  
violet, J. E. Fischer of Ertach, and  
the Church of St. Charles in Vien-  
na; 30 plus 40gr., red, Jakob Prand-  
tner and the "Milk Tooth"; 40 plus  
40gr., brown, A. von Siccardsburg  
and E. van der Noll with the Vien-  
na Opera House in the background;  
60 plus 60gr., blue, Heinrich von  
Ferstel and the Votive Church in  
Vienna; 64 plus 64gr., green, Otto  
Wagner and the bridge-head of the  
Nussdorfer Lock, Vienna.

**Stamp News.**

The stamp program conducted by  
J. Edward Vining, president of the  
Mound City Stamp Club will be in  
the future be heard at 6 p. m. on  
Sunday nights over radio station  
WIL instead of 8 p. m.

At auction sales in the East sell-  
ing price of stamps in good con-  
dition especially United States, has  
been at times higher than 75 per  
cent of catalogue. Another thing  
noticeable at these auctions is that  
nineteenth century stamps of Unit-  
ed States seem to be coming into  
prominence while twentieth cen-  
tury are taking second place. An-  
other thing that can be noticed is  
that stampless covers are coming  
into prominence. The earliest  
known stampless cover with a post-  
mark is dated 1758.

The smallest state in the world  
issuing its own stamps is Vatican  
City, which has a total area of  
about one-sixth of a square mile  
and a population of 1000. The first  
stamp issued by Vatican City bore  
a portrait of Pope Pius XI.

The Philatelic Agency has re-  
moved from sale the 4-cent Martha  
Washington coil.

The third printing of the 1-cent  
Yosemite miniature sheet has been  
ordered. This will make a total  
printing of 800,000 sheets.

A second order of 5,000,000 16-  
cent airmail special delivery stamps  
has been ordered. The Post Office  
Department has announced that  
this will be a regularly issued  
stamp in the future.

At the coming convention of 1935  
of the American Philatelic Society  
to be held in Washington, President  
Roosevelt has announced that he  
will send a selection from his fa-  
mous stamp collection for display.  
The stamp which he will exhibit  
will probably be from Hongkong or  
Haiti.

**New Issues.**

BOLIVIA—A new series of post-  
age stamps will be issued shortly.

BRITISH GUIANA—All re-  
minders of the "ship" type stamps  
have been withdrawn from sale and  
the new pictorials are being dis-  
tributed.

COSTA RICA—A special series of  
stamps will be issued to commemo-  
rate the Salvador Pan-American  
Olympic Games.

CYPRUS—The current King  
George type has been withdrawn  
from sale and replaced by the new  
pictorial series.

DUTCH INDIES—All existing  
stocks of the Queen Emma memoral  
stamp have been sold out.

**Coffee Parfait.**

Two cups heavy cream, one cup  
sugar, one cup strong coffee, one  
teaspoon vanilla extract. Whip  
cream, add sugar, coffee and vanil-  
la. Wet a mold with cold water and  
then fill with the mixture. Clamp  
the lid on tightly and pack in ice  
and salt for 3 to 4 hours.

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## DAILY MAGAZINE

A New Serial Romance

## On Broadway

By Walter Winchell

## If I Were Santa—'d Give

THE widows of slain law officers the final right to pass on the killer's parole from any prison, jail or hoosegow.

Bob Benchley the legal right to horsewhip his bum imitators.

Dorothy Parker a brand-new pencil and nothing to do until she wore it out writing that grand verse.

Another endowment to keep the Irish Players in town.

Hollywood columnist sense to know a director.

I'd present playwrights with a sandwich without planning to desert his wife and kids.

If I were Kris Kringle I would see to it that a racing stable went to any of the legislators who vote against racing.

Some columnists the compulsory job of living with some of the girls they're always marrying off to men who don't know them.

To news photos I'd hand a new idea on how to pose a flicker star arriving in New York and junk that tedious shot of the movie star visitors waving to the red caps through a train window.

I'd present playwrights with a quiet tip that a tough-cracking dame CAN be called something besides "Maizie."

Diet

Most celebrities would have to take and stay on a steady diet of some of the food they've indulged for money.

Frances Langford would get a voice that never got tired, so she could keep on singing and singing and singing.

Broadway would get another hooper like Jack Donaghy.

M. C.'s at night clubs would get arsenic if they introduced the customers who are there for a good time.

Pronouncing dictionaries would be given to English actors who say: "Tizzint," "Rilly," "Lahv you veddy mitch." "It is rilly a beasty peshun," or "I'm sooo tahd—sooo veddy tahd of it aww!"

Garbo's Hat.

I'd see to it that an advanced case of fallen arches went to all waiters who served anybody cold coffee.

Hope Williams would receive at least one more tone.

H. L. Menckin would get the delightful job of hiring and firing home-spun philosophers now cluttering up the radio.

Galloping dandruff would be given to press agents who involve the past glories of the Empire Theater for such honeys as "Allure" and "But Not for Love," and other such overnight tenants.

To Ed Wynn's hat designer would go a big cash jugum against the stylist who fashioned Garbo's hat in "Painted Veil."

Fifty lashes to anybody who ventures another Mae West gag.

Stockings with runs in them to housewives who serve nothing but frapped drinks drowned in cream and other sticky goo.

I'd make cab drivers serve 10 days in their own freezing cabs who fail to heat them in this Alaska weather.

Giggles.

News reel commentators would get two hours' daily schooling under Lowell Thomas, who doesn't commit uncalculated bad humor.

Radio announcers who giggle at the approaching gag would have the choice of fine or imprisonment.

Child prodigies who hang around the house out-Einsteining Albert, would be forced to go out and pick a fight with kids their size.

To Broadway would be gifted the legal right to recall from Hollywood—Lee Tracy, Roland Young, Ann Harding and the Marxes.

A heavy sale to Rasco's "Smart Set Anthology" and a moratorium to mag readers on what repeal has or hasn't done.

I'd read temporary deafness to all (me, too) during the showing of news reel shots of politicians plugging their own bills.

To ship news lads I'd hand the right to leave into the bay any voyager who tries to gab about European conditions.

Lou Holtz and only one or two others (including Smith and Dale) would get the privilege of telling all the Mefoosky stories.

Carrot and Celery Casserole

Two cups diced carrots, one cup diced celery, one cup white sauce seasoned with a dash of nutmeg. Arrange vegetables in a casserole, pour white sauce over them and sprinkle with buttered crumbs. Bake in a moderate oven until nicely browned.

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## TANGO

An Unpleasant Evening Is Endured by Treasure, Who Finds Forgetfulness, However, With Tony.

## CHAPTER EIGHT.

"O that's it," Oliver thought catching the look which passed between the night club hostess and Anthony Molinari.

The Italian boy was alone and as soon as the dance was finished Treasure excused herself and went to him. He ordered drinks which neither touched. They sat heads almost meeting absorbed in a conversation of their own. Oblivious to their surroundings.

When the orchestra played a tango they smiled at each other and danced. It was Friday night and the floor was full but in the midst of the crowd they were still alone. Drawn together by a fascination both recognized as too strong to resist. Swept on the hot, swift, current of first love.

"Have you missed me?" he asked as they returned to their table.

"Yes, I thought you'd be back sooner."

"I wanted to come, but I couldn't break away. I've been thinking about you."

"I've been thinking about you, too."

"Have you, Treasure? Where did you get your name? It's the most unusual one I've ever heard."

"My mother gave it to me."

"She must have been crazy about racing."

"She was, but my father wanted a boy," she explained, gravely.

"Some men are like that," he agreed.

"They were brought out of their trance by Pete, Fernando's voice. Oily. Diplomatic."

"Good evening, Mr. Molinari. May I speak to you a moment, Treasure?"

"She followed him away from the table."

"What's the matter with you?" he snapped, his tone changing as soon as they were out of hearing.

Her blue eyes still dizzy stared at him vaguely.

"What do you mean?"

"He's only bought one drink all evening. How often have I got to tell you not to waste your time on kids? His brother—that is different—but this boy is spending no money."

"I hadn't thought about it," she confessed.

"The house is full of dough tonight. Juanita and Dorothy are raking it in while you sit making calf's eyes."

"She asked colorfully, 'What is it you want me to do?'"

"Pete waved a pudgy hand. 'See that bunch of men? Big shots—every one of them. In town for a convention. Get over there now and get busy.'"

"Her face clouded, but she answered, 'All right! In just a moment.'"

"If she explained the situation she felt certain that Tony would be willing to buy enough drinks to satisfy Pete, but to speak to him about anything so sordid would tarnish the fine gold of their romance. He might think she was suggesting it for her own benefit."

"I'm terribly sorry," she said. "But Pete wants me to dance with someone else."

"You'll come back when you can."

"If I can," she corrected. "You see this is an unusually busy night."

He nodded, but his dark eyes never left her face.

"I understand. I'll wait. You'll let me take you home?"

"Of course."

"OLD RUDY was pretty sore about your standing him up the other night, but he drink anything else?"

"I told him I had another engagement."

Tony smiled. His slow, sweet smile which seemed doubly attractive because it was so rare.

"I shall be having every man you dance with."

"You needn't. None of them will matter."

"You darling!" he said and closed his eyes as if the intoxicating light of her were more than he could bear.

It was from this she went to the table where the out of town big shots were waiting Juanita and Dorothy were already there.

"Gentlemen," Pete said with a flourish of his fat hand, "I want you to meet Miss Treasure McGuire."

As usual her name was greeted with wise cracks and laughter.

"Come here, Baby! Sit by me! What did he say your name was? Precious?"

"Treasure," she repeated gravely. "I thought it was something like that."

"It ought be Angel," some one else corrected.

"Listen, Precious, what do you want to drink?"

She would make it cost them for this she thought. Pete should have no more cause to complain. Smiling beguilingly she murmured, "I should like some champagne."

Dorothy and Juanita gasped. This was putting it on a bit thick even for an out of town convention but the gentleman who had given her the new name cried, "Right! Angels should never drink anything else."

WHILE it was being fed she danced with him. Not bad for a butter and egg man. Well dressed and successful looking, fastidious and intellectual but a butter and egg man for all that, she thought meeting Tony's adoring glance.

"I shall be hating every man

## TODAY'S PATTERN

## House Frock

WHEN it comes to frocks for the house, the dress that's smart is the dress that flatters and is comfortable to work in. This design, for instance, is tailored especially for the more mature figure with slenderizing panels that run all the way from the hem to the neckline, back and front. And it's certainly comfortable—just notice those trim slot pleats that give roominess through the bodice—to say nothing of the inverted pleats in the skirt! The pretty shoulder frills add a nice little feminine touch round the neck, but, if you prefer, they may be omitted and the dress made with a simple square neckline. Long sleeves are included in the pattern.

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## The Futility Of Religious Disagreement

By The Rev. J. F. Newton

HALF a life ago Solovoyof, a Russian seer, had a vision. In his vision he foresaw the final issue of history, the last scene in the long, strange, pathetic heroic story of man on earth.

Slowly, in his vision, he saw the world divide into two hostile camps; one on the side of Christ, the other on the side of Anti-Christ. A final effort was made to compromise, but it was made in vain.

A dire crisis followed, and a desperate battle shook the world. It was a battle between light and darkness, good and evil, between spirituality and materialism, between the angel and the beast in man.

In the deep darkness of that night the religion of the world, long divided into sects, was welded into one fellowship. In the end the hordes of Anti-Christ were overwhelmed and utterly defeated.

But not until Jew and gentile, Catholic and Protestant were found fighting side by side, defending the basic faith of the race. Was it a fancy or a prophecy of the things that lie ahead of us?

It looks like a prophecy. On the birthday of Martin Luther the Catholics of Germany proposed an alliance with their Protestant brethren, in order to withstand the wild tide of ruthless paganism.

If they do not stand together, both will be destroyed, and the last trace of the spiritual life will disappear. If they cannot be friends, the enemies of the common faith will be victorious.

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In the Home Modern decorators are sophisticated enough to go primitive in a grand manner. They are using furs lavishly in town house living rooms and bedrooms. Leopard, caracul, tibet, lamb—both sheared and unshorn—bear, goat skin and monkey furs are favorites. The fine clipped lamb can be dyed almost any color.

## TOMORROW'S HOROSCOPE

by WYNN

For Thursday, Dec. 27, 1934.

Go slow on the emotional side of life today, particularly in the morning. In the P. M. watch yourself in business deals, in buying and selling, and in relations with the neighbors. See the other fellow's side of it.

Do Not Suffer.

Roger Ascham, a sixteenth century Englishman, said: "An unhappy master is he who is made wise only by many shipwrecks; it is a miserable merchant who is wise only because bankrupt; by experience we find a short way by long wandering." Why go through bankruptcy? Why suffer shipwreck? Why take the long way? Astrology properly understood, shows us truly how to live.

Your Year Ahead.

Your year ahead can start you to success along new lines. If you have a latent talent you have been wanting to do something with, do it now. Study, especially from Feb. 9. Danger: till Aug. 1; from Oct. 22 to Dec. 10.

Tomorrow.

Routine the A. M.; then a little better. Social in evening.

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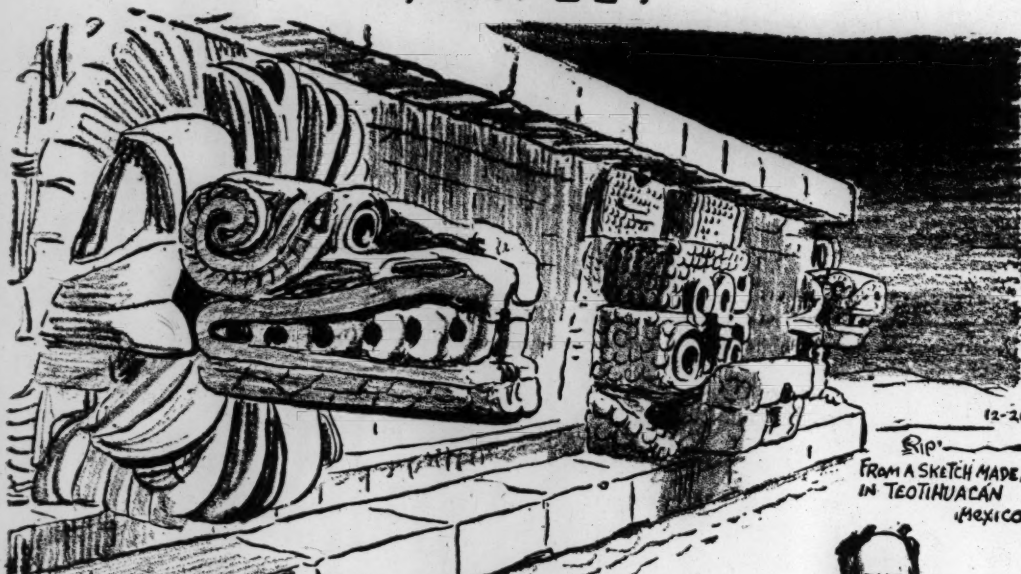
Always a popular cookie everywhere. One cup sugar, one-half cup butter creamed together. Melt one and one-half squares of chocolate and add to sugar and butter. Beat two eggs beaten separately, one cup chopped nuts, three-fourths cup flour, one scant teaspoon vanilla. Spread about one-half inch thick on flat tins and cut into squares while warm.

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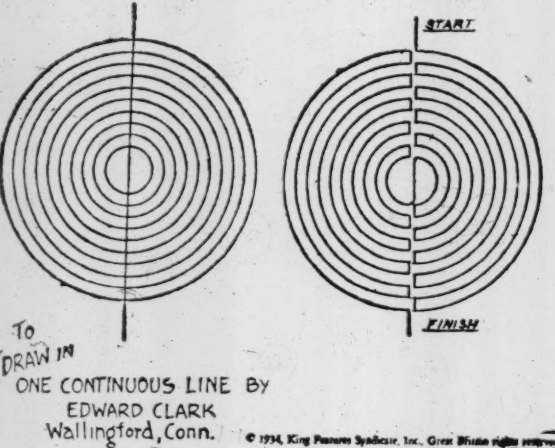
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By RIPLEY



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### EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

THE CHAMPION OPTIMIST—Marcus Finley, 53 years old, has suffered from rheumatism since his youth and can now move only one part of his entire body—his elbow. He has been an invalid for 35 years and blind for the last 15 years. His legs have been amputated just below the hips and his arms are pressed across his chest with fingers tightly drawn. Yet Mr. Finley maintains an optimistic attitude toward life.

THE HUMAN GROUND WIRE—M. H. Bodker, whose home is in Glendale, Cal., is possessed of a strange electrical power that enables him to forecast storms, earthquakes, volcanic disturbances, hurricanes or cyclones. He is unable to explain this curious ability, except to say that an unknown electrical vibration that precedes weather changes has an effect on his body. Bodker likes to listen to the radio, but it actually gives him a pain unless he grounds himself by dipping his copper wire cane into a pail of water.

### RADIO PROGRAMS for TODAY

St. Louis stations broadcast on the following channels: KSD, 550 kc.; KMOX, 1000 kc.; KWK, 1550 kc.; WIL, 1200 kc.; WLV, 740 kc.; KFUP, 550 kc.

12:00 Noon KSD—TUNE TWISTERS. KMOX—George Hall's orchestra. KWK—Farm and Home program. WIL—The Little French Princess. KWK—Wandering Minstrel.

12:15 KFUP—Service organ; Rev. H. H. Williams. WLV—Topsy Joe. KMOX—Radio Gospel Club. WIL—Soloists.

12:30 WLV—Dance music. KWK—Irish Jamboree. KMOX—Little Jack Little. WIL—Beauty talk.

12:45 KSD—LIVESTOCK REPORT. KMOX—The Cadets. WIL—Ragtime.

1:00 KSD—OLIN GIBSON, pianist. WIL—Cronicles. KMOX—Marie, the Little French Princess. KWK—Wandering Minstrel.

1:15 KSD—THE CRASH CODE, air drama. First in a series titled "The Twilight Patrol." KMOX—Romance of Helen Trent. WIL—New York Civic Symphony Orchestra.

1:30 KSD—MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE. KMOX—Tony Sarg's Marionettes. KWK—Smackout. WIL—Opportunity program.

1:45 KSD—LIV AND SAFE. KMOX—Musical. KWK—News sketch. KMOX—Exchange Club. KWK—The Ramblers' Trio. WIL—Police Release.

2:15 KSD—RANCH BOYS. KMOX—Three Hired Men. KWK—Joe White. WIL—Soloists.

2:30 KSD—STUDIO MUSICALE. with Olin Gibson, pianist. KMOX—Kate Smith's Matinee program. KWK—Harry Sonick's orchestra. WIL—Today's Winners.

2:45 KSD—WOMEN'S RADIO REVIEW. Speaker and Josef Littan's orchestra.

KWK—Movie broadcast. WIL—Madeline Hardy pianist.

3:00 KFUP—Shut-in program. Rev. Emil Janssen. Music. KMOX—Laugh Clinic with "Two Doctors" and Al Roth's orchestra. KWK—Betty and Bob.

3:15 KWK—Sisters of the Skillet. WLV—Piano Melodies.

3:30 WLV—Moments With the Masters. KWK—Community Council speaker; music. WIL—Russian Chorus.

3:45 KSD—"DREAMS COME TRUE." KWK—News and musical. WLV—Frank Tuccia, violinist.

4:00 KSD—RAY FOSTER, soloist. KWK—Eddie Dunstetter, organist. WIL—The Sun. WLV—University program.

4:15 KSD—MERRY MACS. KWK—Kay Foster, soloist. KMOX—Window shoppers. WIL—Big Show. WLV—University program.

4:30 KSD—"ALICE IN ORCHESTRA." KWK—Bob White. WLV—Troubadours. KMOX—Piano recital. WIL—Paul Martin's orchestra.

4:45 KSD—STAMP CLUB, with CAPT. TIM HEALY; children's program. KMOX—Talk and piano. WLV—Big Show. WLV—University program.

5:00 KSD—XAVIER CUGAT'S ORCHESTRA. KMOX—Adventure program. KWK—Crime Club. WIL—Strickland Gilman.

5:15 KSD—"ONE MAN'S FAMILY." KMOX—Melody Masterpieces. KWK—Eastman. Evan Evans, baritone, and orchestra. KWK—Denny, orchestra; Harry Richmond and John B. Kennedy. WLV (700)—Dan Russo's orchestra.

5:30 KSD—"CANDID COMMENTS." Margaret Chandler Porter. KMOX—Four Shamrocks and orchestra. WLV (770)—Dan Russo's orchestra.

6:00 KSD—GOLD AND SHEPHERD, piano duo. KMOX—Buck Rogers in the Twentieth Century. KWK—Lovers, sketch. WIL—Fisher's Ensemble.

6:15 KSD—STUDIO MUSICALE AND MUSICAL COCKTAIL. KMOX—Boake Carter. KWK—"Dangerous Paradise," dramatic sketch. WMAQ (670)—Uncle Ezra's Radio Station. WIL—Strickland Gilman.

7:00 KSD—MARY PICKFORD AND HER STOCK COMPANY in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm." KMOX—Crime Club. WLV—A Cyclone Shot. WIL—Val Ernie and orchestra. KMOX—Al Roth's orchestra and Jubilee Choir.

7:15 KMOX—Edwin C. Hill, current events. WIL—The Sun.

7:30 KSD—WAYNE KING'S ORCHESTRA. KMOX—Broadway Varieties; Elizabeth Lennox, contralto; Everett Marshall and Victor Arden's orchestra. WIL—Voice of Romance. WLV (700)—WLS (681)—Lanny Ross, tenor; Vaughn de Leath, contralto, and orchestra. KWK—Fashion Review and musical. WLV (680)—Lasses and White.

7:45 WGN (720)—Dramatic. WIL—Ray Thompson.

7:50 KSD—THE TOWN HALL TONIGHT. Fred Allen, comedian. Portland Hoffa, James Melton, tenor; Sonnetta quartet and Lennie Hayton's orchestra. KMOX—Nino Martini; Andre Kostantant's orchestra and soloists. WIL—Worth While Melodies. WLV (720)—Palmer Clark's orchestra. KWK—Warden Lewis E. Lawes' "20,000 Years in Sing Sing," sketch. "Children of Cain."

8:15 WIL—America. KMOX—Fashion Review. WGN (720)—Lum and Abner. KWK—John Charles Thomas, baritone, and orchestra. KMOX—George Burns and Gracie Allen.

8:45 WIL—Musical. Globe Trotters.

9:00 KSD—GUY LOMBARDO'S ORCHESTRA AND PAT BARNES. KMOX—Broadcast to and from Bird's orchestra. Latest news from dog sledding rescue party for the lost

# Breakfast Gag

By Lucille Cullerton

STEAM sizzling from the radiators and coffee percolating briskly on the dinette table should have permeated the atmosphere of the uptown apartment with contentment regardless of Chicago's bitter cold weather. But Dick and Elinor Hixon's nerves were on edge. Seven o'clock had rolled around too soon for them. The general disorder of the cozily furnished suite was mute testimony that guests had rolled there untidily the small hours of the morning.

Clad in delectable blue silk pajamas, her plump face fresh from a cold water splash, her champagne colored curls still rumpled from the pillow, the pretty girl-wife looked anything but queenly as she darted about setting the table for breakfast. Resentment, however, was venting itself in hot, angry words.

"The streets are glazed with ice." Her high-pitched voice carried easily across the modern living room, through the orchid and gold bedroom and on to the black and silver bathroom. "I refuse to drive you down to the office!"

The boy husband was sensitive about broadcasting his marital troubles. He emerged from the bathroom daubing at a fresh razor cut with a towel. "All right, all right—only pipe down!" he retorted in a low scornful voice. "I'll call a cab."

"A cab would be as economical as your prized gas-eating Roylee," Elinor rubbed it in. A willow-ware plate spun to its place on the table. "You started this economizing stunt, so practice what you preach. Ride the bus!"

"Me—ride the bus!" Dick ejaculated disdainfully. "Why, I wouldn't be seen entering one of those drafty, top-heavy monstrosities!" He began straightening the living room chairs with vengeance. "You're a show-off, that's why!" the girl accused.

"As you like!" shrugging his shoulders. "But I'm staying in the loop tonight to avoid hearing all this again."

"Who cares?" Having had the last word, Elinor began humming a little tune. His forced gaiety seemed to increase the tension. The song died away.

Silence reigned supreme—for a moment. Then the bell rang. Opening the door, Elinor recognized the herculean youth who had operated the hotel switchboard the last three nights. He carried a bottle of cream and a pint of milk.

"Mawing, Mrs. Hixon," came his pleasant drawl. "The milkman didn't arrive. There's a heap to deliver, so I ran up with yours to make certain you received it in time for breakfast."

"Oh, how kind of you!" Elinor exclaimed. Noting his overcoat, she asked, "Going home?"

"Yes, I'm off duty at 8." He turned away. Later the girl could not account for her actions. On the impulse, she tugged at his sleeve. "Would you like a cup of coffee before going out in the cold?"

The youth stared. It seemed incredible. "You are very thoughtful," he said, and smiled broadly. No affection there.

"Come in, then." Elinor disappeared into the dinette, her cheeks burning. Defiantly, the willow plates were removed, the table cloth whisked off. Then service for three was laid on a fresh-gay-patterned cloth.

The youth's voice came to her. "I was born on a farm in Nebraska. But grew up an artist instead of a farmer. Was just gaining recognition in the commercial field when the firm collapsed. Sure lucky to get the job here, Mr. Hixon."

"Oh, well," Elinor thought, "at least I haven't been reduced to a cook in someone else's home." Her humming was spontaneous this time. She liked having guests, for hostilities invariably ceased in their presence. She wanted to detain this particular guest. When he departed, the current battle, which had already proved the worst ever, would resume.

"UNEXPECTED pleasures always seem greater," Mrs. Hixon, the clerk said gratefully after they were seated at the table.

But Elinor noticed that he was hesitant about the grapefruit. She and Dick had plunged right in—were half through with theirs.

His sincere brown eyes met and held the beautiful blue orbs of his hostess. She realized something serious was troubling him.

Mrs. Hixon, do you ever offer thanks before eating?" The question came suddenly, rapidly, as though he had had to ask it. The girl seemed to stop breathing. She glanced at Dick. He was plainly shocked. Offer thanks? In this day of greed and crime, of night gin parties, of sordid tales and suffering? Old-fashioned prayer? The mere thought of it was a scream.

"No, no," she admitted. There wasn't a trace of embarrassment in her voice.

"My folks in Nebraska always did," the clerk explained, slowly. "Mother particularly. It was a habit with me which I have lost since coming to the city. But now I—I feel I would like to. I—well—I—fingers traced, almost careless the pattern of the gay cloth. "I've been eating off one-arm's long, I guess it—it's the tablecloth the mind is conceived as being probably more than the sum of all the actions and interactions of the brain cells or even of all the parts of its own experience, because from moment to moment, by its capacities both to remember the past and look forward to the future, it is continually entering into new 'configurations' or 'patterns,' in short, becoming something new and in this newness of its own existence, finding the thing we call meaning. You may not fully understand this, because I do not very well understand it myself, and I find that a good many much smarter men than I am cannot tell quite what these Gestalt psychologists are driving at, but it is something like this.

# Let's EXPLORE Your MIND

By ALBERT EDWARD WIGGAM, D. Sc.

See Whether His Opinions Agree With Your Own



AUTHOR'S NOTE: These answers are given from the scientific point of view. Science puts the rights of organized society above the rights of individuals.

Certainly, although the obligation rests directly and inescapably upon us all. But women buy nearly 90 per cent of all the clothing made, as they buy usually for the entire family. Woman is closer than man to life, as the mother of the child, and it should be of deeper concern to her that no child should waste the life she gave it making goods for her under inhuman conditions.

1. science has been to prove this, but even here it has recently become doubtful, owing to the apparently uncaused movements of the electrons, the theory of relativity, etc. In psychology, especially as developed by the new school known as "Gestalt Psychology," the mind is conceived as being probably more than the sum of all the actions and interactions of the brain cells or even of all the parts of its own experience, because from moment to moment, by its capacities both to remember the past and look forward to the future, it is continually entering into new "configurations" or "patterns," in short, becoming something new and in this newness of its own existence, finding the thing we call meaning. You may not fully understand this, because I do not very well understand it myself, and I find that a good many much smarter men than I am cannot tell quite what these Gestalt psychologists are driving at, but it is something like this.

2. As she passed her boy-husband, she leaned over and kissed his cheek. "I'll hurry and dress, honey, and drive you downtown." "Indeed you won't, precious!" that young man exclaimed. "Not in this kind of weather. The bus is good enough for me."

3. Far harder to get time and effort from those people who have no money to give.

## Secret Agent X-9—By Dashiell Hammett and Alexander Raymond



AS JILL'S CAR CRASHES THRU A FENCE, X-9 SEES TO HALT HER MYSTERIOUS PURSUERS



SECRET AGENT X-9 IS TAKING THE WORST BEATING IN HIS HISTORY FROM BRANT'S WONDER TEAM—



THEY SHOULD HAVE SENT A MATHEMATICIAN TO WRITE OUT THIS BALL GAME.

SCORE: CARTER 42, ENOCH 16

YOU LOOKED MIGHTY GOOD IN THERE TONIGHT, GANG!

IT WOULD HAVE BEEN WISE, COACH, BUT WE PROMISED DUDGON WE WOULDN'T GO HIGHER THAN HE COULD COUNT.

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REY, NED—FAY CHAMBERS WANTS TO SEE YOU—SHE'LL BE OUTSIDE WAITING!

TELL HER—TELL HER ANYTHING—ONLY I DON'T WANT TO SEE HER!

## One Way Traffic



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## The Day's Big News

Willie's Lost Dog  
Was Recovered  
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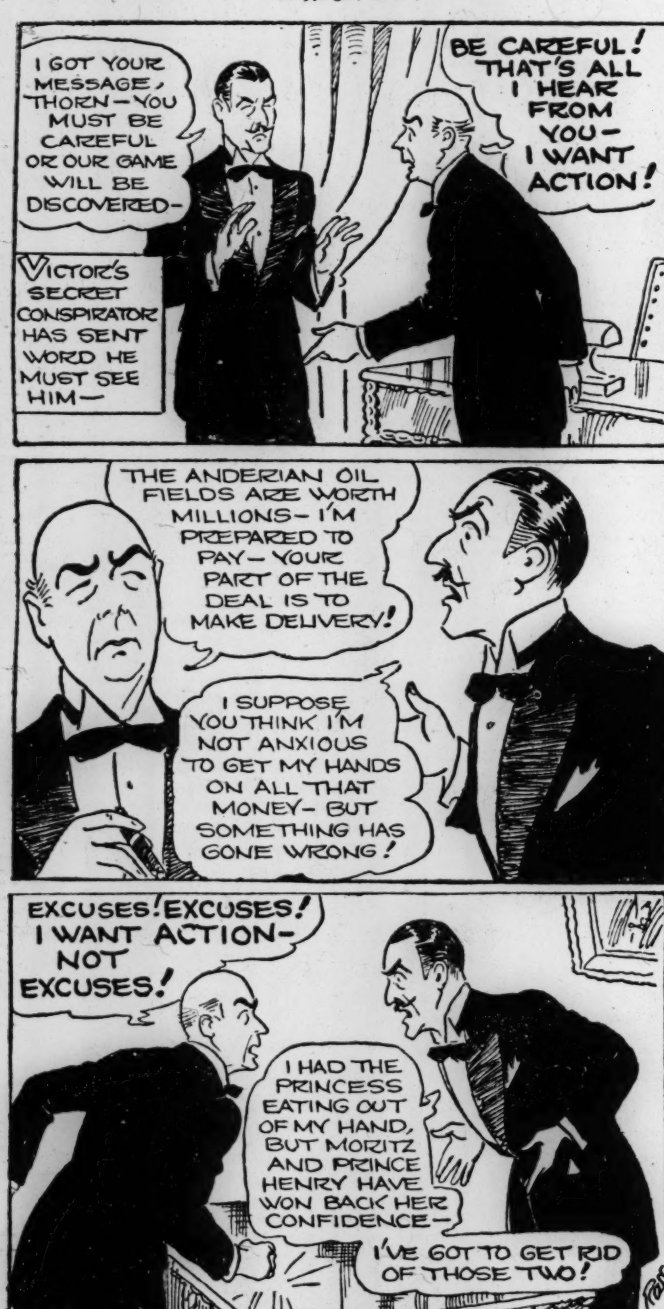
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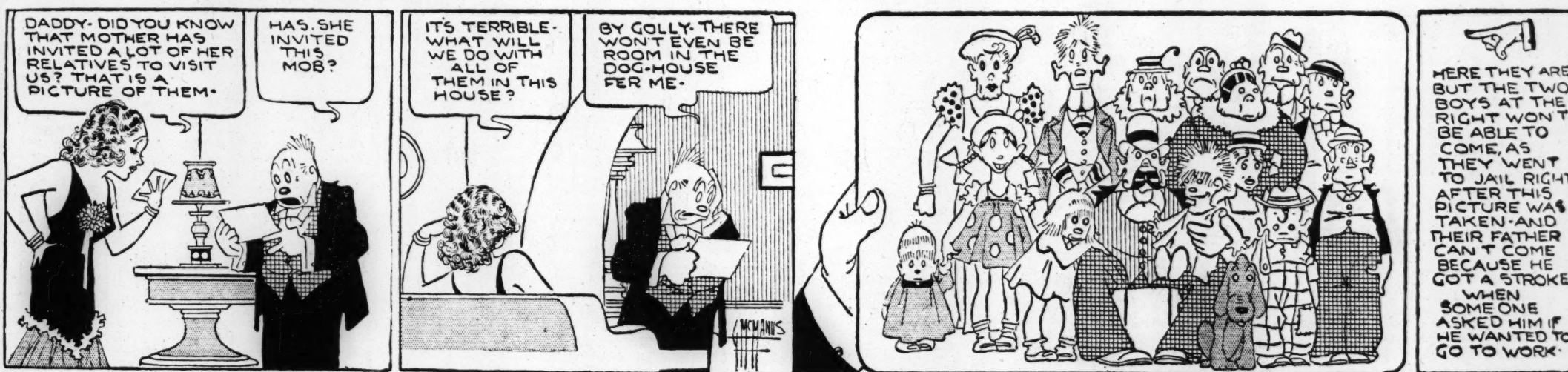
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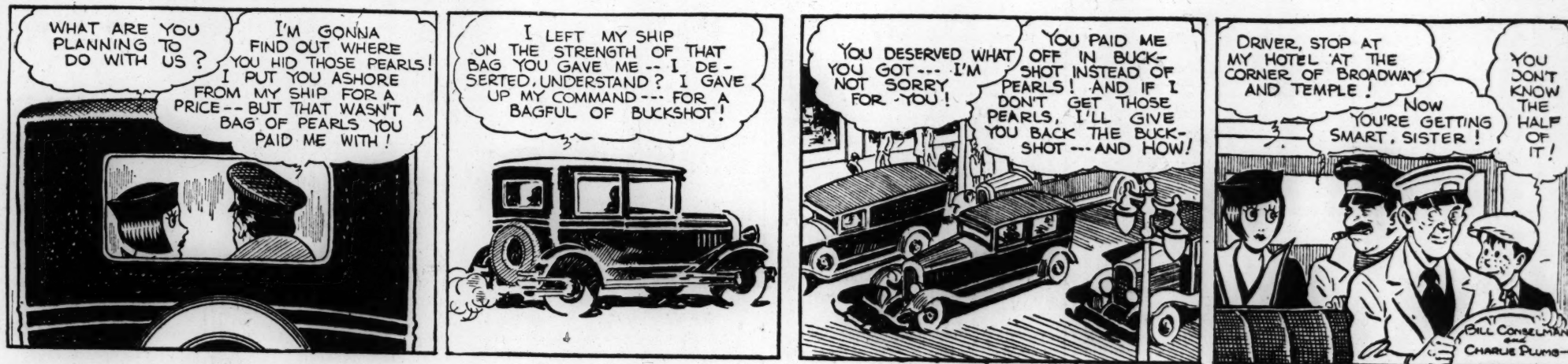
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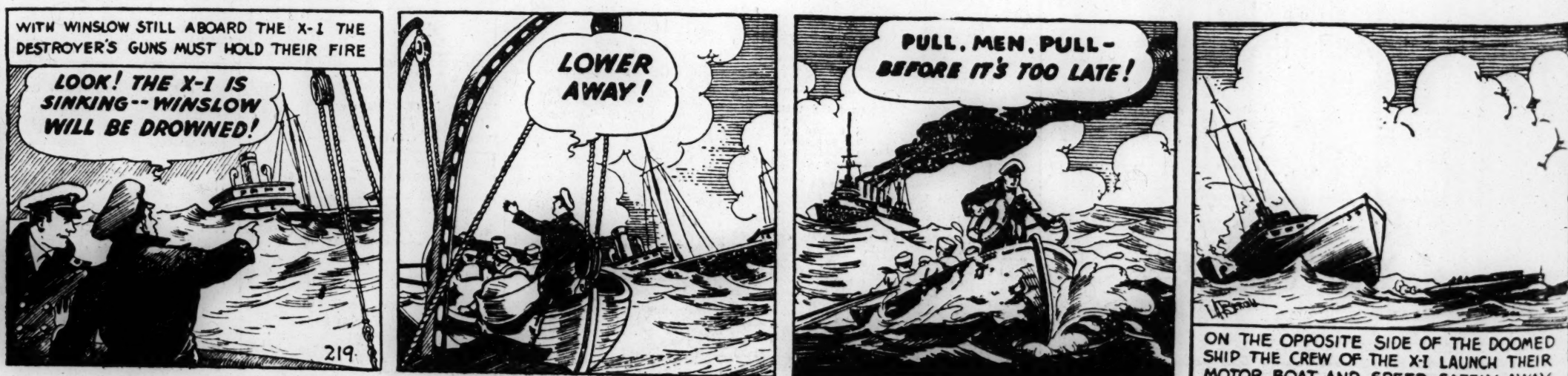
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By the Associated Press.  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 25.—The Supreme Court today refused to hear an appeal from a lower court decision that the National Labor Relations Board has no power to order a company to bargain with a union.

The ruling was made in a temporary injunction against Sutherland and Mae G. Sutherland Co., proprietors of the Sutherland Lumber Co. The company, which operates a large lumber yard in Oklahoma, Iowa and Nebraska, had refused to bargain with the union.

It lost its NRA Blue Eagle March for continuing its retail prices below those of the lumber code, but charged with violation of the hour provisions of the act. It was alleged that the company had sold its Oklahoma City yard squares of red cedar shingles at a price of \$4.45 a square, while the code required a price of \$4.50 a square.

In holding that Congress has power to fix prices, the court said that the act authorizes the President to do so. The only suggested source of power is the national provision, article 1, which says that Congress shall have power to regulate commerce among the states.

The Judge pointed out that the act does not extend to what either is Interstate Commerce or directly affects Interstate Commerce.

The defendants who sell lumber, just as any merchant who sells goods over the counter, are engaged in Interstate Commerce, the most significant opinion that "Congress has power to fix prices even in a part of Interstate Commerce," was reached.

Court Gives Reason  
In case the commerce clause of the Constitution had been read that "Congress has power to regulate commerce among the several states, including power to fix prices at which goods may be sold in such commerce," the judge declared that the people had suffered from the voluntary creation of an infinitely more dangerous opinion read. "In the clause, as written, they protect the individual liberty and all its incidents from stifling and conflicting regulations of the states."

"It is enough to say that his property and the prospective purchaser of it, in no sense watered, are incidents of commerce among the states. The meeting of the vendor and vendee in the market as to price precedes the transfer of the property. Since the contract is part of that commerce, Congress is given power to regulate the contract directly."

"Nor can it accomplish indirectly by prohibition movement in commerce harmless in themselves, are sold at prices satisfactory to Congress."

Postoffice Strike in Rio de Janeiro  
Government postoffice workers went on strike last night, refusing to deliver mail. The strike is expected to increase wages.